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GERMANY MAY PARTICIPATE WITH COUNCIL

British Foreign Minister Favors Inviting Hun Delegates to Sit With Premiers for Discussion.

Question of Austria Will Occupy Meeting While Briand and Lloyd George Discuss Disarmament.

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Jan. 24. — The supreme council, composed of representatives of Great Britain, Italy, France, Belgium and Japan, today heard the military experts, and later conferred together regarding the failure of Germany to disarm as provided for by the treaty of Versailles. The experts were asked to make a detailed report on the subject, with recommendations regarding measures to insure execution of the disarmament clauses of the treaty. The experts will meet tomorrow morning, while the council will, contrary to expectations, take up the situation of Austria, instead of reparations.

The British prime minister, David Lloyd George, and the president of the French council, Aristide Briand, it is understood, desire an opportunity to talk over the different phases of the reparation questions before the subject comes up for discussion at the full council. Thus the change in the council's program.

In this connection the premiers are said to be considering whether it is feasible and advisable to have the German representative sit with the council before the final decision on reparations is taken. The British delegation is believed to favor inviting the Germans to take part in the discussion after the allies come to an understanding among themselves.

Pending a decision on this question, Herr Bergmann, the German delegate, it is expected, will confer with Louis Loucheur, the French minister of liberated regions, and it is reported he will make an official offer to pay two billion marks in gold within a year, one-fourth of that amount in cash.

The eventuality of a German being invited to sit with the council depends partly upon Herr Bergman's reply to M. Loucheur, who will ask him if Germany has any proposition to make before the allies decide finally on which course they will pursue to enforce execution of the treaty.

The premiers are understood to be greatly alarmed at the situation in Austria and will endeavor to find some way for the continued existence of that country. The eastern question, Greece and the treaty of Sevres will be taken up after the council has finished considering the Austrian situation.

GEDDES TO PARIS.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Sir Auckland Geddes, the British ambassador to the United States, who arrived here today from New York, is expected to leave tomorrow for Paris to confer with Premier Lloyd George and Earl Curzon, secretary of state for foreign affairs. The ambassador probably will not stay abroad more than a month.

The police closely guarded the movements of Sir Auckland from the ship to the train at Liverpool on his arrival and also at the station in London. Permits to the landing station at Liverpool were denied all persons except officials who went to greet the ambassador.

NEBRASKA FARMER WILL HEAD BUREAU

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—G. H. Gustafson, president of the farmers' union of Nebraska, and head of the farmers' union livestock commission at Omaha, has been appointed head of the new department of co-operative marketing of the American Farm Bureau Federation, it was announced today.

The new department is to undertake development of national commodity organizations connecting city consumers with country producers.

Opposition Develops To Buying Morgan's Home for Ambassador

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Opposition has developed among republicans and democrats of the house to acceptance by the government of the London residence of J. Pierpont Morgan as a permanent home for the American ambassador to the court of St. James.

Leaders predicted today, however, that the objection of some members would not be strong enough to cause defeat of the senate resolution authorizing acceptance when brought before the house for a vote, possibly this week.

The Weather

West Texas: Tuesday fair, somewhat colder; Wednesday fair.

Oklahoma: Tuesday partly cloudy, colder; Wednesday partly cloudy.

BILL FOR REGULATION OF PACKING INDUSTRY PASSES AFTER DECADE-OLD FIGHT

Regulatory Measure Is Adopted by Senate With Republicans Lined Up Against It.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—By a margin of 13 votes, the senate today passed the long fought bill for federal regulation of meat packers and other agencies of the livestock industry.

The vote was 46 to 33, and the legislature, the center of bitter controversy for a decade, now goes to the house with its supporters hopeful of final action during the present session of congress. A special rule to expedite house action is to be sought.

Partisan division in the senate was lacking, but most democrats supported the bill, while a majority of the republicans opposed it.

The party line-up was 18 republicans and 28 democrats for passage, with 23 republicans and ten democrats against.

All fundamental features of the legislation was presented by the agriculture committee, as a substitute for the original Kenyon-Kendrick bill were retained by the senate.

Creates Governing Body.

The bill would create a federal livestock commission of three members appointed by the president to have jurisdiction over livestock industry.

This commission would have power to issue orders, collect and disseminate information, have access to packers books and have general supervision over packers, stockyards, commission men and similar agencies. Review of the livestock commission's orders would be provided by the bill which also prescribes rules for the conduct of the packing business and stipulations against monopoly, unfair trade practices, engaging in unrelated industries and other similar acts.

Voluntary licensing of packers also is provided, an attempt by Senator Pomerene, democrat of Ohio, to eliminate this feature having been defeated today, 43 to 34.

Only two important amendments were adopted by the senate before passing the bill. One, by Senator Wadsworth, republican of New York, would include horses, mules and goats within the operations of the bill, although horse and mule markets

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One Individual in This Country Has 5 Million Income

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—One return of income of $5,000,000 was filed in the calendar year, 1918, according to completed statistics of incomes for that year, issued tonight by the bureau of internal revenue.

Two returns were filed of income from $4,000,000 to $5,000,000; four of incomes from $3,000,000 to $4,000,000; eleven from $2,000,000 to $3,000,000; sixteen from $1,500,000 to $2,000,000 and thirty-three from $1,000,000 to $1,500,000.

WARRENTOWN QUIET AFTER 2 ARE MOBBED

By Associated Press.

WARRENTON, N. C., Jan. 24.—All efforts to apprehend members of the mob which last night broke into the Warrenton county jail, removed two negroes and shot them to death, were set aside today in the anxiety of authorities to forestall a recurrence of violence.

Nine negroes left in the jail by the mob were today hurried to Raleigh for safe keeping, and this afternoon five additional arrest were made and these prisoners also rushed to Raleigh. Four other negroes, for whom warrants are held, have escaped.

The Warrenton home guard, ordered out by Governor Morrison last night, has been under arms all day, and the Henderson home guard has also been in readiness to respond to any call that might be made upon it. Mayor J. L. Burchard of Norlina, the seat of the trouble, has procured rifles from Henderson and deputized 30 citizens to act in the case of a nemergency.

However, no further outbreak is regarded as probable.

The coroner's jury which held an inquest this morning at the scene of the tragedy, about mid-way between here and Norlina, five miles away, quickly returned the expected verdict of "Death at the hands of unknown persons." The negro jailer, John Green, who surrendered his keys to the mob, was placed upon the stand and stated he saw only five men, none of whom he had ever seen before.

All other witnesses testified to a like inability to identify any members of the mob.

ARKANSAS LAND SALES ARE HELD UP BY GOVERNOR

By Associated Press.

LITTLE ROCK, Jan. 24.—Governor McRae announced today that he had requested the state land commissioner to discontinue all sales of state lands until the legislature could enact laws providing for their examination as to oil, gas and mineral deposits, and that he would send a special message to the legislature this week requesting such legislation.

Governor McRae said that such action was due to the fact that the state owns considerable land in Union county, where there is considerable oil activity at present, and was designed to prevent the sale of valuable land at the nominal price of $2.50 an acre as provided by statute.

The possibility that state-owned oil lands might provide sufficient revenue to make Arkansas tax free as far as state taxes are concerned was suggested by state officials.

New Orleans-Orient Service Inaugurated

By Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 24.—With ten steamers in direct service, the J. H. W. Steele company today announced regular sailings with passenger service between this port and the Orient. The first sailing will be next Friday.

The steamers are owned by the Osaka Kashia line of Japan. Mississippi valley products will be carried almost exclusively, it was stated.

Dallas Police Glad Pardon Board Goes

Special to The Record News.

DALLAS, Jan. 24.—Heads of the local police department today voiced their hearty approval of Governor Neff's action in abolishing the State Pardon Board. They declared that the action will result in a marked decrease in crime.

"It is the best thing that could have happened to aid the police in stamping out crime," Police Commissioner L. E. McGee declared.

PRESIDENT ASKS AIR MAIL SERVICE NOT BE REDUCED

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—President Wilson recommended continuance of the aerial mail service in a message sent today to congress. The post office appropriation bill as recently passed by the house made no appropriation for the air mail service.

By a vote of 38 to 37 the senate adopted an amendment by Senator Pittman, democrat of Nevada, providing that the bill should not apply to persons who sacrifice business in production of livestock or other agricultural products.

DARTMOUTH BOY KILLED IN ROW OVER FINANCES

By Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 24. — A quarrel over money matters was the motive assigned for the killing of Elmer C. Drewes, a Dartmouth college senior, by Assistant District Attorney James Gay Gordon Jr., in his opening address to the jury today at the trial of William P. Brines. Brines, a sophomore at the University of Pennsylvania, is accused of slaying Drewes, although the two had been close friends for years.

Drewes' body was found on the outskirts of the city Oct. 17, with a bullet wound in the forehead.

Rhodes Scholarships Will Be Increased to 500 Pounds Per Year

By Associated Press.

BOSTON, Jan. 24.—Temporary increase of the stipend granted all Rhodes scholars from £300 to £350 a year was announced today by Frank Aydelotte, American secretary of the Rhodes scholarships.

The statement says the trustees regard the additional £50 as a bonus and not as a permanent addition to the scholarship because they can not be certain either of the value of money in future years of their own capacity to continue the payment indefinitely.

Colby Will Reach Hampton Roads on Wednesday Morning

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24. — The battleship Florida, bringing Secretary of State Colby and his party home from the visit to South America, reported to the navy department today that it would arrive in Hampton Roads Wednesday morning.

You've Seen Her Often



IRENE MARCELLUS.

This young lady has posed for such famous artists as James Montgomery Flagg and Howard Chandler Christy, and drawings and paintings of her have appeared on more than 200 different magazines, it is said. But her name was unknown to the world until enterprising movie producers signed her to appear in films, and of course she had to tell her name. It's Irene Marcellus. You'll be seeing her in the movies soon.

Crowder Reports Cuba Situation Is About Clear

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Early adjustment of the economic and political difficulties in Cuba was indicated in a report received at the state department today from Major General Enoch H. Crowder. He outlined terms of a bill adopted by one of the houses of the Cuban congress, designed to protect the banks.

The measure is being studied by state department officials who indicated that certain minor changes might be suggested. It provides for creation of a committee of three to arjust the financial situation and that banks wishing to avail themselves of the opportunity be permitted to come under its jurisdiction as would mercantile houses doing a semi-banking business.

The moratorium would be ended and these institutions be authorized to liquidate their accounts gradually under regulation.

TO PROBE PRICES OF MEALS, MEATS

Special to The Record News.

DALLAS, Jan. 24.—Investigation of the prices charged by restaurants and meat markets will be started immediately after the present grand jury adjourns, according to F. M. Spencer, local agent of the department of justice. Men who were assigned to work on the recent post-office robbery will assist in the probe.

Texas Cotton Brings Better Prices When Shipped to Germany

By Associated Press.

TEMPLE, Tex., Jan. 24.—Announcement was made today by the Bell County Farm bureau that a shipment of low grade cotton to Germany had been sold at a profit of from $12.50 to $15 a bale over prices offered in American markets. The cotton graded strict low middling and netted $11.50 per hundred in Bremen.

German to Die for Murdering American

By Associated Press.

COBLENZ, Jan. 24.—Engelbert Manns, a German citizen, has been sentenced by a German court here to be guillotined for the murder of an American soldier last April. Manns is said to have killed the American with a pistol he borrowed from the soldier for the purpose of robbing him of 15,000 marks.

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BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE

So Much Per Pound, Charge Of Air Route

By Associated Press.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 24. — The Lawson Airplane company, when it begins its Chichago-New York passenger and mail service some time in May, will charge passengers according to their weight, Alfred M. Lawson, president of the company, announced today.

Provision has been made for carrying passengers to the approximate of two tons of 40,000 pounds, Mr. Lawson said, and in explanation of the charge for weight, he said that it would be unreasonable to be expected to carry a man weighing 250 pounds at the same fare of one weighing not more than 125 pounds.

MOONSHINE CAUSES MORE CRIME THAN "WET" TIME DRINK

By Associated Press.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 24.—"From my observation, moonshine whisky is causing more crime than the old whisky did in pre-prohibition days," said Judge Austin C. Breeaus in municipal court today, when he received the plea from three milk wagon bandits that they had been drinking moonshine.

"PRO" AGENTS RAID STILL NEAR BOWIE

By Associated Press.

TEXARKANA, Tex., Jan. 24. — Two federal enforcement officers raided a still in Bowie county this afternoon, capturing two white men and a complete moonshine outfit, 14 gallons of whiskey, and 700 gallons of mash.

Three negroes at the still escaped. The plant was in operation when the raid was made.

POLICE KILL NEGRO IN WOMAN'S HOME

Special to The Record News.

DALLAS, Jan. 24.—Will McGlinton, 24, a negro chaffeur, was shot and killed this afternoon by Dallas police officers following a fight in a south Dallas home, in which the negro and five Dallas officers participated. The negro was in a white woman's bed room.

The police say that another negro and a white woman found in the house at the time of the shooting were taken to police headquarters for investigation.

Turkey and Armenia May Settle Own Row

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—A dispatch to the London Times from Constantinople dated Saturday, says arrangements have been completed for a conference in Moscow in February of representatives of the middle eastern states, including Turkey, Armenia and Persia, for a settlement of boundary disputes.

The newspaper adds that delegates from Moslem states have just ended a conference at Sivas under communist auspices, held for the purpose of forming a solid pan-Islamic [illegible]

BRITISH-RUSS AGREEMENT IS GIVEN PUBLIC

Governments Agree to Refrain From Hostile Action or Propoganda Outside Own Borders.

Soviet Pledges Self to Discontinue Stirring Up Strife Among England's Asiatic Colonies.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The terms of the British-Russian preliminary agreement, which Leonid Krassin, the soviet representative, has taken to Moscow for consideration officially have been made public. The most important terms follow:

Each party agrees to refrain from hostile action or propaganda outside its borders. The soviet particularly agrees to refrain from any encouragement of Asiatic peoples to action against British interests, especially to Asia Minor, Persia Afghanistan and India.

British subjects in Russia and Russians in Great Britain will be permitted to return to their homes if they so desire.

No Blockade Imposed.

Each agrees not to impose any form of blockade against the other or any discriminations against trade not imposed on other foreign countries. Ships in the other's harbors shall receive the treatment usually accorded foreign merchant ships by commercial nations.

The agreement provides for the clearance of mines from the Baltic sea and the approach to Russia and the exchange of information regarding mines. It provides for the admission to both countries of persons appointed to carry out the agreement, with the right to restrict them to specified areas and the exclusion of any who are persona non grata, and also for free communication and exemption from taxation. A renewal of telegraphic and postal facilities, including parcel post will be arranged.

HARDING PLAYS GOLF WHEREVER VICTORIA STOPS

By Associated Press.

ROCKLEDGE, Fla., Jan. 24.—President-elect Harding reached here this afternoon in his houseboat cruise down the Florida coast and spent the night as the guest of Mrs. Harding's brother, Clifford Kling, who is a winter resident of Rockledge.

The houseboat Victoria took her time during the day's sailing down the sleepy, semi-tropical reaches of the Indian river and did not arrive here until after 4 o'clock.

Mr. Harding and his companions on the cruise played a round of golf, however, before dinner.

CIVILIANS ATTACK IRISH IN BANDON, COUNTY OF CORK

By Associated Press.

DUBLIN, Jan. 24.—Civilian attacks on the police and the military in various sections of the country continued Sunday. Early today there was a simultaneous attack by 100 civilians on the police and military barracks which adjoin each other in the center of the town of Bandon, County Cork.

There was severe fighting for nearly an hour, which resulted in the attacking party being driven off. The crown forces suffered no casualties, but one civilian is known to have been killed.

There was a fierce battle Sunday, when a large body of armed men attacked the Glenbower police barracks near Clonmel. The civilians were beaten off. No casualties were reported as a result of the fighting.

One civilian was killed and one wounded when an attack was made upon a small body of police near Kelles, County Meath. The attacking party finally withdrew, having captured a motor car and arms.

Jap Society Plans To Admit Americans

By Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—Admission of prominent Americans to its advisory board and the creation of a legal bureau to acquaint its members with the workings of the anti-land law were to be proposed in the annual convention of the Japanese Association of America, which began here today, K. Kanzaki, secretary of the association announced.

Pretty Bookkeeper Charged With Fraud

By Associated Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 24.—Lottie Belle Martin, pretty 24-year-old bookkeeper for the Grocers' Wholesale company here, was arrested late today, and charged with embezzlement of more than $750 from the firm.

She was held on twenty-nine counts, charging embezzlement of from $1.48 to $94.45 since December, 1919, when she entered the employ of the company

Governor Denies He Has Had Conference On Law Enforcement

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Jan. 24.—In reply to a report that he had held a conference with Austin pastors in regard to enforcement of the so-called blue laws, Governor Neff today said that no such conference had been held with the Austin pastors or any one else.

"No one has mentioned such a subject to me nor has any one even made any suggestions along that line," the governor said.

RETAIL PRICE BOTTOM HAS BEEN REACHED

Commercial Union in Annual Convention Declare That Lower Levels Are Not Now Possible.

By Associated Press

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—Retail prices generally are not coming down but are already at that stage, according to members of the Retailers' Commercial Union, which today opened a week's convention here. As evidence they pointed to price lists issued by the association and showing manufacturers' prices of the present as compared with a year ago.

The retailers said that in view of these lists changes of further reductions were slight. Emphasizing the converse, they declared that price advances were not in sight.

Prices taken at random from the comparative lists included the following:

Fine dress ginghams, a yard, 1920, 30c; 1921, 15½c.

Women's serge suits, good grade, 1920, $40; 1921, $27.50.

Serge dresses, all wool, 1920, $15; 1921, $8.75.

High-grade blend coffee, per lb., 1920, 44 3-4c; 1921, 32½c.

Cheaper grade coffee, per pound, 1920, 19c; 1921, 10½c.

Navy beans, per cwt., 1920, $8.75; 1921, $4.35.

Choice rolled oats, 90 pound bags, 1920, $6; 1921, $2.85.

Women's silk stockings, 12-strand, pure-thread, per dozen, 1920, $21; 1921, $12.

PROPOSES HOUSE BE DECREASED IN STATE OF TEXAS

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Jan. 24.—A house resolution was introduced this morning by T. T. Thompson of Red River county providing for reducing the house of representatives from 142 members, the present number, to 62 members and that these members shall be composed of two representatives from each of the 31 senatorial districts.

The bill also provided that the number of senators never be changed. The senate has 31 members.

Mrs. Rockefeller Offers To Aid Starving Kiddies

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—The million dollar gift of John D. Rockefeller Jr., to the European relief council, made public last week, was followed today by announcement that Mrs. Rockefeller had offered her services to the Y. W. C. A. to raise funds for the same purpose.

Mrs. Rockefeller has accepted the chairmanship of the invisible guest day committee, which will have charge of serving the noon-day meal in Y. W. C. A. cafeterias on February 1. Gross receipts for the day will be donated to the European relief council.

IDAHO POTATOE GROWERS UNABLE TO MARKET SPUDS

By Associated Press.

SALT LAKE CITY, Jan. 24.—An increase in the production of potatoes of about 72,000,000 bushels in 1920 and the falling of the yearly shipment of more than 2,000 carloads have combined to bring about a situation which leaves the farmers in the territory of Twin Falls, Idaho, more than $500,000 worth of spuds on their hands, according to J. A. Reeves general freight agent of the Oregon Short Line railroad.

HAVE YOU SEEN ONE OF MONTAUK INDIAN TRIBE?

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Has anybody seen anything lately of the Montauk Indians?

At last accounts they were living on Long Island, but they seem to have drifted away and now the government is asked to pick up the trail.

Chairman Snyder of the house Indian committee today introduced a resolution to direct the secretary of interior to investigate and report.

TEN NEGROES ARE KILLED IN GAS EXPLOSION

Car Loaded With Oklahoma Gasoline Blows Up in Memphis Injuring Score and Killing Ten.

Property Damage Estimated at Quarter Million Dollars Caused by "Casing-head" Blast.

By Associated Press.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 24.—Ten negroes dead, approximately a score injured, some probably fatally, and property damage estimated at $200,000 made up the known toll tonight of an explosion of "casing-head" gasoline awaiting unloading from a tank car to the plant of the Colyar Reese company in North Memphis which let go this morning with a blast that wrecked a part of the oil plant, leveled a block of frame dwellings and shook the entire north end of the city.

Of the injured two are white persons—L. C. Scott, superintendent of the Reese plant, and L. C. Wilder, truck superintendent. Both were badly burned, but physicians stated tonight they will recover.

Colyar Reese, president of the oil company, attributed the explosion to spontaneous combusion, due to the contact of vapor escaping from the tank car with the atmosphere when the metallic cap was removed preparatory to unloading it.

The tank car, which contained 8,000 gallons of casinghead gasoline produced by the absorption process, was shipped here from Kelleyville, Okla., Mr. Reese stated, and was loaded in a low temperature. When the cap was removed, according to this theory, the vapor came in contact with much higher atmospheric conditions here, and the explosion followed.

Will Investigate Cause.

It was stated that representatives of the United States bureau of explosives and experts from the refinery from which the car was shipped will arrive tomorrow to definitely determine the cause of the blast.

When the explosion occurred a row of frame tenement houses along an entire block was splintered and the occupants blown to the streets or caught under the falling timbers. Most of those killed outright were badly mangled, while several of the injured were so badly burned they died soon after reaching a hospital.

When police and firemen reached the scene the streets and alleys in the vicinity were littered with the splintered timbers and the torn and twisted household goods, with the dead and injured caught in the tangled mass of wreckage.

MISSING HEIRESS FOUND AT HOTEL

By Associated Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 24.—Mrs. Glen Davis Smith, heiress of the million-dollar Little estate here, who left Springfield last night, driving her automobile, was found today at a hotel in Peoria, after her husband had obtained police aid throughout the state in a search for her.

Mrs. Smith was accompanied on her trip by her 3-year-old son and her aunt.

CRAZED MEXICAN'S CASE CONTINUED

By Associated Press.

GEORGETOWN, Tex., Jan. 24.—The case of Manuel Sague, a Mexican charged with the murder of S. O. Wofford and the serious wounding of two other passengers with a razor on a train near Granger, last December 14, was continued in criminal court today to May 18 on account of the defendant's serious illness.

First Stand Used For Inaugurals to Be Used March 4

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The small stand first used at the inauguration of Abraham Lincoln and at every inauguration since, except when Taft became president, will be used on March 4, when Warren G. Harding takes the oath of office. The exception in the case of Mr. Taft was because the ceremony occurred in the senate chamber on account of the weather.

The stand is in the possession of Watson S. Clark of this city, son of the architect of the capitol building.

Appropriation for Texas Indians Asked

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—An appropriation of $10,000 for the education of the Alabama and Cushatta Indians of Polk county, Texas, was proposed in an amendment to the Indian appropriation bill in the senate today by Senator Sheppard, democrat, Texas.

WHITE WAY TO BE TURNED ON WITH CARNIVAL

A combination carnival and spring style show, with parade, speeches "and everything" is planned as the celebration to mark the turning on of the downtown lighting system. This plan was outlined Monday night at a meeting of the committee from the Chamber of Commerce business council committee having the plans of the celebration in charge.

Band music, street dancing, a vaudeville act or two, the showing of spring styles, the burial of "Old Man Gloom" and a very brief amount of speechmaking at the ceremony of the turning on of the lights, this by Mayor Walter Cline, are to be features of the carnival.

In addition to the dancing on the street, a dance at the Kemp hotel from which the proceeds will be devoted to the relief fund for the children of Europe, is planned by the committee.

The various departments of public activities, the automobile dealers, the Shriners and various other local organizations are to be asked to participate in the parade.

The burial of "Old Man Gloom" the speechmaking, the vaudeville show and the street dancing will be centered at the corner of Eighth and Scott.

The committee outlined its plans at dinner, where they were the guests of Alfred D. Allen, manager of the Kemp hotel, who is a member of the committee. Earl C. Dosch is chairman of the committee, with P. A. Rogers, vice-chairman. Other members include J. E. Sharpe, R. W. Watkins, Claude Montgomery, C. C. Randle and Mr. Allen.

Porter and Maid Give Support Y. W. C. A. Forces

Two of the most "encouraging" contributions yet received in the Y. W. C. A. budget drive, opening Monday were reported by Mrs. S. B. Crozier, night travelers aid at the union station. These contributions came from the night maid and night porter at the sattion, and were entirely voluntary.

The two have been observing the work of the travelers' aid during the last year, and assisting Mrs. Crozier in some of her cases and in this way have come to know of the work of the Y. W. C. A. Their offering, a contribution from their modest wages, for the cause, was the source of gratification to Mrs. Crozier, and the Y. W. C. A. drive committee.

The men's committee started their canvas of the business district Monday morning, and though no official reports were available, their efforts were understood to be meeting with success.

The chairman of the women's committee, which is to make a canvas of the residential district Wednesday, will be asked to call at the Y. W. C. A. for their pledge cards and receipt books, which are now ready.

The executive secretary, Miss DuBose, announces that the books of the association for the year 1919, and the first half of 1920, have been completed and are now open to public inspection at the association rooms.

Subscribers and others interested were invited to look over the books.

GOELET MARRIED TO FRENCH GIRL

By Associated Press.

BORDEAUX, France, Jan. 24.—The civil marriage of Robert Walton Goelet of New York and Mlle. Anne Goestier, daughter of a Bordeaux land owner and director of the Orleans railroad, was performed by the mayor in the principal salon of the city hall here this morning.

The witnesses for the bridegroom were P. B. Riggs and George Milburn of New York, and those for the bride, her brothers-in-law, Alfred Schiller and M. Mamet.

HE WAS UNABLE TO WORK HALF THE TIME

Wichita Man Suffered for Ten Years; Hasn't Lost Day Since Taking Tanlac.

"I was so weak and run down I couldn't work half the time, but I haven't missed a single day since I finished my second bottle of Tanlac and am feeling just fine in every way," said J. D. Dalrymple, 130 N. Washington St., Wichita, Kan.

"For 10 years I suffered from indigestion and stomach trouble and hardly knew what a well day was. I had no appetite and what I managed to eat fermented and caused awful palpitation and severe pains around my heart. I had such dizzy spells that I could hardly stay on my feet, I was so nervous I could scarcely sleep and many a day just wasn't able to work.

"My wife finally began taking Tanlac and got such splendid results from the medicine that I started on it myself. Well, sir, it has only taken four bottles to fix me up to where I have a splendid appetite, never have a sign of stomach trouble and sleep like a log every night. I never have to lose any time from work now and am enjoying the best of health."

Tanlac is sold in Wichita Falls by the Miller drug store; in Electra by Tarlton Drug company and by all leading druggists.—Adv.

ELK MINSTREL PLAYERS WILL GET COSTUMES

The Elks' annual minstrel show at the Wichita theater Monday and Tuesday nights will be equipped with full theatrical costumes for the first time in the history of the local celebration, J. Wilkie Talbert, member of the publicity committee, said Monday on receipt of a wire from Chicago that the costumes had been shipped. Costumes or full dress suits will be worn by the chorus and endmen.

Four vaudeville numbers will be offered. Among them is a quartet, a pianologue, featuring "Happy" Thomas, another stunt in which Miss Tillie Mae Schaffer plays the lead, and a blackface skit, "Love, Honor and Obey," with George Hodgins and J. Wilkie Talbert playing the roles.

Sixty persons will take part in the show. Orchestrations for several songs which have just come off the printing presses have been received.

Amateur players are practicing regularly.

V. R. KIZER, BURK, JAILED FOR DEAN LAW INVESTIGATION

V. R. Kizer, who was arrested Sunday night at his home near Burkburnett and brought to the county jail here Monday morning by Deputy Sheriffs Weaver and Barnes, has been docketed on a charge of violating the Dean law and is also awaiting investigation by federal authorities in connection with the seizure of 16 gallons of corn whisky and 50 gallons of "choc" beer near his home shortly before his arrest.

No whisky still was found in the raid.

Three men and two women who were arrested at Bridgetown on charges of vagrancy as the result of a drive by the two officers in the Northwest fields Sunday night, were brought to Wichita Falls Monday and released upon payment of fines.

FIVE MEN STEAL BIG TOURING CAR

The theft of an eight-cylinder Apperson touring car from her garage was reported to the police Monday night at 9 o'clock by Mrs. Ella Schulz, 2100 Tenth street.

According to a report made later to the police by Robert Diggs, grandson of Mrs. Schulz, five men were seen prowling about the premises of Mrs. Schulz by neighboring boys, who reported that they had seen the same men later as they drove the car down Ninth street.

Two motorcycle policemen were sent after the car by Night Chief Humprris. At a late hour Monday night the car had not been recovered. The car had been gone about 30 minutes when the theft was discovered, according to Mrs. Schulz.

Regulatory Bill Finally Passed

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would be excluded from the proposed federal supervision.

Excludes Producers.

Another amendment by Senator Pittman, democrat of Nevada, would exempt all persons whose chief business is livestock growing or production of agricultural products from the bill's provisions. The author declared that the legislation should not extend to small stock growers who operate their own feeding yards.

Other amendments adopted included one by Senator Borah, republican of Iado, providing that all proceedings of the livestock commission should be open to the public, and an amendment by Senator Pomerene, democrat of Ohio, declaring that upon enactment of the bill all supervision of the federal trade commission of the livestock industry should be terminated and transferred to the livestock commission.

Friends of the bill succeeding in withstanding virtually all other provisions, proposed, and also defeated a motion to recommit the bill to the agricultural committee. An amendment by Senator Hitchcock, democrat of Nebraska, proposing that all the packers give a week's notice of bids and prices for livestock, was lost, 70 to 8. The anthor said it was designed to stabilize the market.

The passage of the bill, the senate was recorded as follows.

Borah, Capper, Curtis, Gooding, Gronna, Johnson (California), Kenyon, Lafollette, Lenroot, McNary, Nelson, Norris, Poindexter, Spencer, Sterling, Townsend and Willis.

Total republicans for, 18.

Democrats for:

Ashurst, Culberson, Fletcher, Harris, Glass, Gore, Harrison, Hitchcock, Johnson, (South Dakota), Jones New Mexico), Kendrick, Kirby, McKeller, Myers, Overman, Owen, Phelan, Pittman, Pomerene, Ransdell, Reed, Robinson, Sheppard, Smith (Georgia)), Swanson, Trammell, Walsh (Massachusetts) and Walsh (Montana).

Total democrats for, 28.

Republicans against:

Ball, Brandegee, Colt, Dillingham, Edge, Elkins, Fernald, France, Hale, Keyes, Knox, Lodge, McCumber, McLean, Moses, New, Page, Phillips, Sherman, Smoot, Sutherland, Wadsworth and Warren.

Total republicans against, 23.

Democrats Against:

Beckham, Dial, Heflin, King, Shields, Smith (Ariona), Smith Maryland, Stanley, Underwood and Williams.

Total democrats against 10.

Total against, 33.

VENERABLE PASTOR EMERITUS URGES MORE CHURCHES, LESS RESTRICTIONS UPON SABBATH

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 24.—Dr. W. O. Campbell minister emeritus of the Presbyterian church, a pastor who has devoted a lifetime of service to his work, declared in a sermon here in favor of "more churches and fewer Sunday restrictions." Dr. Campbell endorsed Sunday baseball on the Y. M. C. A. field. His subject was, "Physical and Spiritual Health."

"We should have more attendance at church and Sunday school on Sunday mornings but less restriction on healthy pleasures in the afternoon.

"Times have changed. In my boyhood days, parents attempted to restrain natural, youthful impulses to a straitness of conduct which made the Sabbath colorless and burdensome. I recall a sermon I preached during the days of the bicycles greatest popularity. Bicycle riding was then considered a desecration of the Sabbath.

"I urged parents then to attend church more in the mornings but to remove the ban from bicycle riding in the afternoon."

Without venturing to assume a position to advise clubs, he declared that it was his own wish that clubs would close their tennis courts and golf links Sunday mornings, permit and encourage members to attend church then, and to reopen the sports in the afternoon. He expressed the view that the churches should not only allow, but encourage, their members and others whose own consciences see no wrong in it, to take advantage of these opportunities for healthful pleasure and physical improvement.

While willing that the church should place less insistence than formerly on restrictions in "non essential things," Dr. Campbell's main theme was the importance to this country for true Americanization for the best realization of its future that the young men and women pay more attention to the things of the spirit and gain knowledge of the great essentials of Christianity, which can best be learned in the churches and Sunday schools.

"Years ago when De Tocqueville, the great Frenchman, visited America, he was impressed with the number of children and young people who passed through the streets, Dr. Campbell said. When told that they were all going to church to learn the Bible and the wonderful history and principles it teaches, he said:

"That is just what France needs more than anything else."

"These are crucial times, with many difficult problems to be worked out. And this work must be done by the present young generation. That they may be worked out by Christians, in the Christian spirit, should be the greater hope of this country and of the world. And this will only be done if the young people of today shall be imbued with the faith of their fathers, which has given this nation its strength and which they should be encouraged by every means to study and learn."

MAYOR SOUNDS CALL TO 'GANG' TO BOOST CITY

Mayor Cline is organizing a Wichita Falls "gang" to take with him down to Graham's "party" on Thursday night. The "gang," he says, will be made up of city officials, most of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce, and as many of the local merchants as he can corral for the occasion.

"The Graham Chamber of Commerce is giving a party to the surrounding territory on this occasion," Mr. Cline says. "They are starting out on a membership campaign at that time, and are getting ready to put into effect a program of activities befitting the station of their city as a new oil metropolis.

"I want Wichita Falls pretty well represented on this occasion. They invited me and as many citizens as would come with me on this occasion, and I want to take a "gang" along.

"I think that the business people here should help me with this. We are soon going to be neighbors with Graham, with the completion of the new railroad line, and I think it time for us to get acquainted. They don't know us now nearly as well as they do Fort Worth, the cow town to the southeast of us, and now is a very good time for us to get to know each other better."

One Commissioner Is Credited With Sure-Thing Race

County Commissioner J. P. Jackson of Wichita Falls has a sure thing of his job.

At least so Commissioner Haynes, who is acting county judge, broadly hinted at the meeting of the court Monday.

"That old question of Ohio street versus Indiana as a route for the cross-county paved highway has been argued to and fro three or four times," Mr. Jackson said. "It first came up when I was sitting on this court last term."

"Yes, and it'll still be here when you are elected again," Commissioner Haynes interposed.

Expect Report of Grand Jury Today

A report from the grand jury, which resumed session Monday morning after a recess since last Wednesday, is expected Tuesday morning by attaches of the court, and rumors that startling disclosures will be made in the return of indictments were in circulation late Monday among officials who expected a report during the afternoon.

Several prominent local persons are reported to be involved in investigations which the grand jury has completed or that are now under way.

Loot Stolen From San Antonio and New Orleans Found

By Associated Press

EL PASO, Jan. 24.—Certificates of mining stock, shares in the San Antonio chamber of commerce and in other business concerns of the city, valued at $60,000 together with $1,500 worth of silk and furs taken from New Orleans, all of which are alleged to have been stolen, were recovered today by El Paso police.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Joseph Harpie, L. T. Stevens and Lessie Fitzgerald are being held for officers from San Antonio and New Orleans.

EIGHTEEN SUITS WIPED OFF OF COURT DOCKET

Eighteen civil cases which have been on the docket for more than a year, and which have been given three separate settings for trial in different terms of court, were dismissed Monday by Judge Guy Rogers in county court at law for want of prosecution.

In taking this action Judge Rogers said that he was only following out the policy which he adopted recently in disposing of suits which have been set for trial and in which attorneys for the litigants fail to appear. He said that in the future this policy will be strictly adhered to.

Amusements

OLYMPIC.

Thomas Meighan, the popular Paramount star, appears as a gangster and gunman in his latest paramount picture, "The Frontier of the Stars," which will be shown at the Olympic theater, beginning tomorrow. This is by far the "roughest" role in which the virile star has been seen.

Mr. Meighan has the role of Buck Leslie, leader of the Forsyth street gang, which he holds because of his cleverness, utter disregard of danger, and two capable fists. When he is fleeing from Phil Hoyt, a Bowery detective, Buck hies to the rooftops, and there runs upon Hilda Shea, sister-in-law of the detective, a cripple, who has spent most of her life in a wheel chair on the roof.

From then on is unfolded an interesting study in two entirely different personalities, Hilda with her sweet philosophy of life and her belief that everything is good and Buck with just as firm a conviction that there is no good. Faire Binney plays opposite the star.

MAJESTIC.

The Selznick revival of "Panthea" with Norma Talmadge in the title role, which is now appearing at the Majestic theater today, affords at one time, both the opportunity of witnessing this talented emotional artiste at the height of her professional career and also of seeing one of the most powerful and gripping dramatic productions that the stage or screen has yet produced.

The story begins in Russia with Panthea fleeing from the net of the dreaded secret police who have fasely accused her of being a revolutionist. Escaping to England she marries a young composer and the greatest situation in the play comes when she sacrifices herself that he may achieve success.

Among the principal members of the company are Roger Lytton, Geo. Fawcett, Earle Fox, Murdock McQuarrie, Eric von Stroheim and Norbert Wicki.

EMPRESS.

William Faversham most conclusively demonstrates that the art of the finished acter is as effective on the screen as it is on the stage in his second Selznick picture, "The Sin That Was His," which opened its engagement at the Empress theater on Monday.

Mr. Packard's story gives this talented star an opportunity to portray two distinctly different types of men—one a notorious gambler and the other a churchman. Mr. Faversham's versatility is more than equal to the test, and even if his past record had not stamped him as one of America's greatest actors, his performance in "The Sin That Was His" would instantly pronounce him a star.

Some unusual lighting effects, large sets representing an entire Canadian village, and technical work of super-excellence are also noted in this fine Selznick production. In the supporting cast are to be found Pedro De Cordoba, Lulu Warrenton, Lucy Cotton and others who are known to screen fame.

BITTEN BY CAT, OLD WATCHMAN DIES OF WOUND

Zack Morris, 64 years of age, died Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at his residence, 210 Scott street, suffering from hydrophobia, contracted six weeks ago when he was bitten by a cat while sitting in the office of the Southwestern Production and Refining company, where he was employed as a night watchman.

According to relatives, Mr. Morris reached down from his chair to stroke the cat as it passed his chair and was bitten on a finger. The next morning the cat was killed and as the wound soon healed over, Mr. Morris thought little of the incident until Sunday morning when he started to wash his face and was suddenly stricken with a convulsion. He grew steadily worse through Sunday and Monday, according to relatives, until death came Monday afternoon.

The deceased is survived by a widow, four brothers, John Isaac and Wilse Morris of Tennessee and Luther Morris of Fort Worth; one son, Roy Morris of Tucson, Ariz., and one daughter, Mrs. Will McBride of Wichita Falls. Funeral arrangements are being delayed pending the arrival of the son from Tucson, Ariz.

J. M. M'GRATH, RESIDENT HERE 27 YEARS, DIES

Funeral services of James M. McGrath, 72 years of age, resident of Wichita Falls for twenty-seven years, will be held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock from the Sacred Heart church, Father Boniface, rector, will conduct the services.

Moving from his home in Illionis, Mr. McGrath, settled on a piece of land near the present site of Lake Wichita in 1893 and engaged in farming and stock raising until forced to retire from active life by declining years. Prior to the oil boom, Mr. McGrath was personally acquainted with practically every person living in Wichita Falls.

The deceased is survived by a widow, two daughters, Mrs. Thomas Butler of Burnside, Ill., and Mrs. S. Stiles, of Dequesne, Ark., and four sons,, J. W. McGrath of Oklahoma City, and John H., E. M. and Walter McGrath of Wichita Falls.

Honorary pall bearers will be: S. Burks, M. K. Emert, J. C. Moran, H. B. Ditto, Hugh Reilly and James Batson. Active pall bearers will be T. E. Rutty, Wm. Weber Geo. Hund, Fred Litiken, Frank Averback and Jacob Eckert. Burial will be in the Sacred Heart cemetery.

John Davenport Asks Full Pay State Permits

John Davenport, county attorney, submitted a request to the county commissioners court Monday that they allow his bill for $1,017 above the regular salary of $3,500 which he has been drawing. Under a state law, recently passed, county attorneys are allowed a maximum return of $5,000 a year, salary and addtional fees.

The only question before the court is whether they wish to grant it. The court took the matter under advisement until Wednesday, after a motion by one commissioner that it be allowed failed to get a second.

Mr. Davenport's note to the court pointed out that all the work which he did on district court cases during the recent crime wave which brought the Rangers to the Wichita county oil fields was done without remuneration. He is allowed pay neither for this work nor for assisting the district attorney with state work in higher courts.

Not long ago Mr. Davenport tendered his resignation, but withdrew it when a dispute arose as to his successor. Mr. Davenport said that he was losing money on county business compared with the business which he could make in private criminal practice here if he were not a state official.

MUSICIANS CLUB WILL PLAY FOR UNIVERSITY CLUB

Announcements of especial interest to members and a musical program by members of the Musicians' club will feature the regular weekly luncheon of the University club at the Kemp hotel Tuesday.

The musical program will be: Liebestranne (Lisat), by Miss Annette Walsh; vocal solo, selected, by John Martin; violin-concerto, Op. 35 (Tschaikowsky), by Miss Marion Maer; chorus, The Village Wedding (Flotow) Mesdames G. W. Thorburn, J. W. King, J. C. Albright, J. C. Mytinger, W. M. Priddy, C. Y. Tully, E. C. Huckabee, H. M. Young, C. H. Pirtle, C. F. Spencer, Mary B. Adams, and R. E. Shepherd; concert Etude Schminke), Mrs. F. R. Collard.

An invitation was issued Monday for members to bring their wives, sisters and sweethearts to the luncheon.

HERMAN RETURNS HOME.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Pete Herman, former bantamweight boxing champion, who defeated Jimmie Wilde in a London bout on January 13, arrived here today from England on the Carmania.

deputy was made the target of several shots fired by two policeman while crossing the street at Scott and Seventh in his automobile while on the way to the county jail with prisoners from the Northwest oil fields.

In his version of the affair, the deputy said that he escaped unscathed and that he fired two shots in the ground in returning the fusillade directed at him by the patrolmen.

After delivering the prisoners into the custody of the pailer, he said he returned to the scene of the shooting to seek an explanation. By this this time, he asserted, several more policemen had gathered and he was told in answer to his inquiries that they fired at him because he failed to stop after being commanded to do so to explain the absence of a muffler on his car.

Officials of the sheriff's and police departments are conducting a thorough investigation of the affair and both expressed themselves as believing that it will be settled without any friction. Regret was expressed by both sides that the scrape occurred.

CAPITAL CASES GIVEN PRIORITY IN ALL COURTS

All capital felony cases now on the dockets in district court will be tried previous to cases of a lower grade of felony regardless of settings recently announced for trial of criminal cases in 30th district court, it was announced Monday by District Attorney Fletcher S. Jones.

This statement was made in connection with the postponement until Wednesday of the trial of Floyd Ray, negro, who is charged by indictment with assault with intent to commit rape.

The district attorney wants to dispose of as many cases as possible during this term of court and believes that the most effective method of putting a stop to the prevailing wave of crime in Wichita county is to bring the more serions offenses to trial first.

He asserted that with the aid and co-operation of jurors and court officials he will be able to furnish examples to other offenders and thus reduce the commission of crime by asserting maximum penalties when the evidence in the respective cases justifies.

BEHLE SUCCEEDS BANCROFT.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 24.—Frank Behle, prominent in baseball circles in this city, will succeed Frank Bancroft as business manager of the Cincinnati Reds, it was announced today.

COUNTY PAVING MAY BE POURED ON OHIO ROUTE

If residents on Ohio street from the river south for several blocks to the point where the cross-county paved highway system turns west will get a right-of-way along their road without cost it is highly probable that the county commissioners' court will order the route from the Wichita traffic bridge to be shifted from Indiana to Ohio. This developed at a meeting of the commissioners' court Monday afternoon.

County Engineer Isbell reported that it would take the city at least ninety days to lay the sewer system proposed on Indiana. Paving would have to wait on that.

Various commissioners expressed themselves as in favor of Ohio. The city condemnation board will report Wednesday morning. Action they have taken will be awaited before the court rules.

The commissioners' court had one round after another with angry taxpayers Monday afternoon.

Mrs. W. M. Fuller was one. She declared that she had been assessed six times as much this year as she was last year for state and county taxes. Her city taxes were the same. Mrs. Fuller declared she had received no notice as to assessments and that she had reported to the city office with the mistaken understanding that the old system of joint reports on county and city taxes still prevailed.

Mrs. Fuller was granted reductions to the city valuation basis.

Mrs. N. K. Henry, 804 Travis street, was another objector. She said her property was assessed at $12,500 while neighboring property was all put down at $8,000 per. Mrs. Henry don't mind paying taxes but she don't want to outpay the other fellow. She got relief.

Boys Mock Film And Go to Jail

Charged with disorderly conduct and making vicious remarks concerning the picture, "Neptune's Bride," ten high school boys were hailed before Police Chief Huff Monday afternoon on the complaint of an employee of a theatre.

The boys, some of whom are prominent in high school activities, were given a lecture concerning the thoughtlessness of their conduct in the presence of women and released by Chief Huff.

January White Sale

Now In Full Progress

If you have not attended the Great White Goods Sale now going on at the P. B. M. store, then you are missing a big value-saving event.

Low Prices the Keynote of this Sale
White Goods in Every Department

Below you will find a few suggestions that may help to remind of something that you may need:

—Table Linen
—Blouses
—Bed Linen
—Silks
—Gloves
—Hose
—Snowy White Chemise
—Towels
—Night Gowns
—Ladies' Shoes
—Men's Shoes
—Piece Goods

THE DATE IN WICHITA FALLS' HISTORY

(From Files of the Times)
January 25.

1911—Chamber of Commerce adopts "25,000 in 1915" as city slogan.
Texas-Oklahoma league organized; F. P. StClair of Wichita Falls elected president.

1913—Fred Morris chosen manager of "Drillers" for season.

P. B. M. Co.
DEPARTMENT STORE.
"The Courteous Service Store"

'MAD MULLAH' IS DEFEATED BY AIRPLANES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—How the British conquered Somaliland and dispersed the forces of the "Mad Mullah" by "bombing, shooting up, setting on fire his stronghold and scattering his forces and stock" by one of the first successful primary military operations by aircraft, is told in an official report received here today in military circles.

Somaliland, situated on the eastern coast of Africa, opposite the gulf of Aden, came under British protection in 1885, and has ever since been a constant source of trouble to the British because of the rebelliousness of the native ruler of the country, whose constant "holy wars" and insurrections caused him to be designated as the "Mad Mullah." The British attempts to quell these uprisings that have existed over a period of 34 years and in 1919 the British position became so serious that, according to the report, another military expedition on a larger scale than anything heretofore attempted, appeared inevitable. The expense of such an undertaking was estimated at $25,000,000 and as raising the troops for such a purpose presented difficulties, the movement was indefinitely postponed.

It was then decided that an opportunity might be given the royal air force to attempt a purely air expedition and to thereby prove the "value of aircraft as an empire police force." The cost of this venture was estimated comparatively low as to an ordinary punitive expedition and the troops needed to the number of 2,500 to 5,000 were immediately available.

According to the report the total air force employed consisted of 32 officers and 164 other ranks, with a small medical detachment and 11 war machines.

Upon reaching Somaliland the advance party removed all flying badges and gave out that they were searching for oil under an engineer. A base was established upon the coast where supplies of petrol and oil were landed. The subsequent operations are described as consisting of three phases, namely: "Finding the Mullah's stronghold, bombing, shooting up, setting on fire his stronghold and scattering his forces and stock; the carrying out of these operations until it was reported the Mullah had broken through the line held by the Camel Corps and was making south and, finally, the bombing of the Mullah's men and their stock on the trek south."

Within "one week's bombing and two weeks' pursuit," the operation was completely at an end. The enemy lost all his fighting men, forts, stock and leaders and all the Mullah's party had been either killed or captured with the exception of the Mullah himself.

The complete overthrow of the power of the Mad Mullah was accomplished in the space of 23 days with only two casualties in the native Camel Corps.

Big Southern Oil Company Official Surrenders Self

FORT WORTH, Jan. 24.—R. E. Sanders, missing secretary and treasurer of the Big Southern Oil company, whose $5,000 bond was forfeited at the last term of federal court here, surrendered to United States officers in Abilene today, it was announced.

With H. M. Coleman, W. W. Montgomery and E. H. Green, former business men in Texas and Oklahoma, Sanders was indicted a year ago for using the mails to defraud in connection with the floating of the oil company.

Soldier Found With Head and Chest Cut

By Associated Press.

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Jan. 24.—Bleeding from cuts in his head, side and chest, Jacob Jones, a member of the Forty-eighth infantry, stationed at Eagle Pass, Texas, was found early today near the right of way of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway in the edge of Wybark, a small town ten miles north of here.

Officers said he has either fallen or been thrown from a train.

REBELLION IN STOMACH

"Pape's Diapepsin" at once ends Indigestion and Sour, Acid Stomach

Lumps of undigested food cause pain. If your stomach is in a revolt; if sick, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented and turned sour; head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and eructate undigested food—just take a tablet or two of Pape's Diapepsin to help neutralize acidity and in five minutes you wonder what became of the pain, acidity, indigestion and distress.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless stomach antacid is Pape's Diapepsin, which costs so little at drug stores.—Adv.

Local Lobbies

HEARN.

D. L. Williams, Electra.
R. E. Hoyle, Dallas.
T. R. Waters, Dallas.
E. L. House, Fort Worth.
Joe Baker, Miles City.
J. R. McMurray, Denison.
P. E. Davidson, Fort Worth.
T. E. Fairchild, Dallas.
Jack Ray, El Paso.
N. H. Jackson, Electra.
J. S. Schultz, Seymour.
L. J. Anderson, Fort Worth.
B. C. Pharr, Dallas.
E. J. Valentine, Fort Worth.
F. L. Valentine, Fort Worth.
Robert Skerr, Ada, Okla.
T. O. Dandridge, Ada, Okla.
W. C. Bennett, Chico, Texas.
C. L. Heist, Iowa Park.
H. H. Hunt, Waco.
Marie Sparks, Dallas.
J. C. Manner, Iowa Park.
J. G. Allen, Dallas.
W. P. Waddell, Abilene.
I. L. Wiexfens, Vernon.
O. Staples, Vernon.
Jack Prince, Electra.
B. J. Pine, Dallas.
H. Waterman, Sulphur, Okla.
J. Walker, Gainesville.
W. L. Mann, Fort Worth.
C. D. Shelton, Odell, Texas.
E. Briscoe, San Antonio.
Frank Havran, Jr., Weinert.
Oran Howard, Weinert.
C. P. Engelking, Electra.
S. J. Datson, Electra.
M. M. Jackson, Stamford.
D. D. Burton, Graham.

ST. JAMES.

Will A. Perkins, New Orleans.
Joe D. Burris, Oklahoma City.
J. W. Millholon, New York.
C. F. Steed, Dallas.
Ed Campbell, Electra.
Ed Yarborough, Electra.
H. Hoyne, Electra.
Ed C. Wilson, Electra.
T. J. Blakeney, Dallas.
C. W. Smith, Fort Worth.
J. A. Marsh, Dallas.
A. G. Clay, Dallas.
Robert J. Potts, Waco.
R. J. Parks, Fort Worth.
L. V. Cloud, Dallas.
Albert Erwin, Dallas.
W. H. Craford, Amarillo.
John Elliott, Fort Worth.
J. N. Sanderson, Dallas.
Chas. Turnbull, Petersberg, Va.
E. W. Hobert, Kansas City.
H. K. Gaines, Sweetwater.
L. C. Stephens, Dallas.
W. D. Taylor, St. Louis.
W. W. White, Dallas.
H. P. Wolverton, Dallas.
Sam Kelly, Harrold.
J. N. Porter, Stamford.
M. Brenner, Dallas.

KEMP.

F. K. Creswell, Dallas.
R. W. Barnhouse, Chicago.
William Bodender, New York.
W. B. Sullivan, Chicago.
George B. Dickson, Atlanta.
S. R. Whittenbey, Dallas.
Leon J. Pepperberg, Dallas.
G. B. Wannamaker, Dallas.
P. M. Wimberley, Dallas.
Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Hoffen, Fort Worth.
E. E. Morrill, Dallas.
M. B. Railey, Dallas.
Richard Sty, Cincinnati.
C. E. Knowles, Fort Worth.
C. J. Elrod, Dallas.
Albert Strawn, Dallas.
C. C. Wilkins, Dallas.
J. Milton Wade, Dallas.
A. V. Taylor, Fort Worth.
Victor Griggs and wife, Oklahoma City.
H. D. Bland, Chicago.
D. C. Royce, Tulsa.

"PRETTIEST WOMAN ON BOAT," VERDICT



Mrs. G. A. Barrell.

This piquant young matron was voted "the prettiest woman on board the liner La France," which arrived in New York recently. With the great numbers of movie stars, actresses and society girls who are sailing for Europe or returning home on each trip, that is quite some tribute.

Frank T. Pickrill, El Paso.
G. W. Greenwood, Dallas.
A. E. Ball, Dallas.
L. H. Turney, Louisville.
J. L. Brown, Graham.
George W. Dawley, Fort Worth.
Charles De Woody, New York.
H. C. Glidden, Denison.
William Hines, Fort Worth.
M. L. Jones, Dallas.
T. A. McSichie, Chicago.
Frances Williams, Dallas.
H. D. Wiemand, Indianapolis.
W. A. Dunahoo, Dallas.
C. W. Cafferty, Electra.
Ed Ashner, Dallas.
H. M. Nussbaum, Dallas.
Art Chapman, Dallas.
A. B. Jack, Kansas City.
C. D. Robb, Fort Worth.
W. H. Byren, Bartlettsville.
J. A. Johnson, Tulsa.
C. B. McInory, Boston.
D. W. Franchol, Tulsa.
C. B. Farquason, Tulsa.
R. F. MacArthur, Bartlettsville.
W. J. Donavan, Tulsa.
John A. Tryer, Bartlettsville.
J. R. Elliott, Kansas City.
M. P. Waters, Wellington, Texas.
J. B. Bell, Shreveport.
L. S. Robb, Shreveport.
C. S. Halladan, Wichita.
R. Steele Johnson, Dallas.

WESTLAND.

C. L. Micahel, Ardmore.
R. W. McGlothin, Bellevue.
C. K. Craft, Dallas.
F. E. Harper, Fort Worth.
J. T. Miller, Fort Worth.
Mrs. M. Johnson, Oklahoma City.

LEAVE TOBACCO TO USERS, BUT FIGHT INCREASE

"We aren't trying to take tobacco away from the present users,' we are trying to conduct an educational campaign that will keep the coming generation from its use," declared Mrs. Cora B. Megrail, who made the principal address at the re-organization of the local Women's Christian Temperance Union, while outlining the fight of the Union against the cigarette evil and its influence on the young.

The abolishment of the open saloon by constitutional amendment is being followed up by the Union with an educational campaign to bring on total abstinence from all forms of alcohol and enforcement of the law," said the speaker, "and will leave the organization free to carry on its activities in its 32 departments, some of these are: Study of scriptures in the public schools, scientific temperance instruction; study of narcotics and their effects on users; child welfare work; Americanization of foreign born citizens; medical temperance; social morality; industry work for women and Christian citizenship."

Officers elected at the meeting were: Mrs. F. E. Whaley, president; Mrs. J. W. Bradley, secretary; and V. C. M. Miller, treasurer.

On your way home tonight, stop in at the Kemp Hotel Lunch Room and carry home some of our French pastry, baked fresh today.—Adv.

James R. Thomas, Oklahoma City.
W. H. Graham, Oklahoma City.
C. O. Bachéller, Miles City.
R. Tetterrolf, Yorktown, Texas.
J. L. Sullivan, Muncie, Ind.
P. M. Mooraden, Madison, Wis.
D. D. Alexander, Mountain View, Okla.

WILLIAM-MARY.

H. Sellers, Mehphis.
Mrs. John E. Pemey Lubbock.
Ed F. Dolan, Graham.
Larry Gardner and wife, Graham.
C. I. Elrod, Dallas.
F. Funston, St. Louis.
H. D. Niemand, Minneapolis.

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History, Spanish and manual training classes, according to incomplete compilation of grade averages, were reported approximately tied for second honors with a general average of more than 85 per cent of the pupils winning promotion.

Other reports show more than 80 per cent promotions in English, Latin and algebra.

Among Indian names for States are Michigan ("a weir for fish"); Minnesota ("cloudy weather"); Missouri, with a similar meaning ("muddy"), and Nebraska ("water valley").

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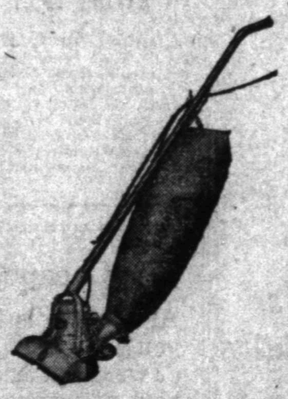


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WHAT IS A CITY?

As is often the case with the charts of professional bureaus when given popular publication certain statistics just issued by the bureau of the census have the power of giving many people an erroneous impression. On the face of the figures as published last week the United States has crossed the dividing line and has become a predominantly urban nation. If this were literally as well as statistically true it would be epochal. It would mean that a great era in the history of the Americans had closed; that man had concluded the first great step in the making over of the western world.

In studying professional charts, however, the layman should give attention to the standards used in arriving at conclusions. For example, when the bureau of the census reports that the United States is now more than one-half of city population, 51.4 per cent, one should inquire what the bureau has taken to mean a city. A city is a different thing in different states. The New England town is not the town of the middle west nor is the borough of New York and Pennsylvania either the New England town or the middle western village. In the popular mind in some parts of the country a city is a large place of many thousands of people; in other parts a city may connote something very small. What, then, are we to think, when we read that more than one-half of our people are city dwellers? The report means that a place of 2,500 or more inhabitants has been considered a city.

So one sees that the report that the United States has crossed the city-country meridian is not accurate. A place of from 2,500 to 8,000 or 10,000 may be a city legally but it is not in the sense of surrounding its inhabitants with strict urban environment. Hundreds of thousands of persons classified by the census bureau as living in cities are enjoying a semi-country life. Before it can be truthfully said that our country is urbanized a unit much larger than the place of 2,500 inhabitants must be taken for the standard of measurement—South Bend Tribune.

A HOHENZOLLERN CYCLONE OF ROMANCE.

The report that the former German crown prince has been plotting with Prussian Junkers to restore the Hohenzollern dynasty is news that has been pretty well discounted by its inherent probability. It was in the nature of things that the Hohenzollerns should conspire to regain the German throne, just as the Stuarts conspired to regain the English throne and as Bourbons, Orleanists and Carlists have plotted to recover their lost sovereignty in France and Spain. It is unlikely that anything will come of the Crown Prince's present ambition. It is of less interest politically than psychologically, as an example of exiled royalty running true to form.

The erstwhile Haiserlich and Hoeniglich heir-apparent has set going a movement which may endure while a Hohenzollern scion remains to be the object of prayers and aspirations of the faithful. For centuries to come no doubt there will be old pretenders and young pretenders; fervid Junkers will drink to the health of Bonnie Prince Fritz "over the canal" or along the Zuyder Zee or wherever the contemporary claimant happens to be. There will be shrines for the repudiated dynasty in royalist churches and special prayers for sacred anniversaries. Not improbably a Prussian Culloden will be fought in the course of events.

All this may do little enough in changing the map of Europe, but what a boon to the literature of romance! The Carlist cause has proved vital enough to inspire a current "best seller" novel. What may not the Hohenzollern lost cause do for German fiction and the drama in the years to come, while providing all the while a congenial and lucrative occupation for zealous souls who find a zest in harmless royalist intrigue.—New York World.

A clergyman declares that college students today are not nearly so wild as those of a generation or more ago. This will bring an indignant protest from undergraduates all over the country.—New York Evening Post.

Maybe Henery closed the factory to give the hands a chance to spend their bonus.—Indianapolis Star.

Split Second Editorials

By ROBERT QUILLEN

Culture is gotten from books—usually check books.

Short history of the Fiume affair; Farce to the uttermost.

The most influential nations in Europe are condem and extermi.

Hell is paved with good intentions, and so is the road to the poorhouse.

Report of British commander in Ireland: "We came, we saw, we conflagrated."

A bride always feels a tender sympathy for those of her beaux who lost out.

One is never able fully to appreciate the gift of eloquence until he rises on a cold morning and finds the furnace out.



A cigarette case may refer to a container for cigarettes or to a juvenile bandit.

If a man is afraid to strip before his fellows, either his mind or his body is unclean.

When a man is out of a job he sheds few tears over the lot of poor oppressed toilers.

In the old days they used a sling to throw a stone; now they use slang to throw the bull.

A man is much more interested in keeping the respect of his fellows than in keeping the respect of his God.

A casual reading of the headlines persuades us that these are prosperous days for the steal industry.



Yon peak that once did hold prices of the world, is deserted save for the lone boot-legger with his sorry wares.

You may carry your message in person and exercise your legs, or use the telephone and exercise your patience.

And then again, the farmers' relief measure will enable the automobile manufacturers to resume full-time operation.

Congress is inefficient. The election was discovered some time ago and no effort has yet been made to put a tax on it.

Smuts says Americans are slow to fight, but terrible in action. "Terrible inaction" expresses our handling of the treaty.

When a man quits office, a newspaper that knows nothing of his private affairs is safe in saying: "He will resume the practice of law."

History of an immigrant. First day: Learns to change money. Second day. Learns slang: Third day: Scolds about the horde of aliens coming in.

AT THE CHURCH DOOR.

In Aurora, Nebraska, there is a church which has decided that its members must come to meeting or tell why they stay away. In order to put them all on record it has been decreed that each member on arriving at the church door shall present a card, ready made for the purpose, which will be taken by a checker who will punch it in an appropriate column showing the date of attendance and the character of the meeting attended. At the end of a stated period all of the cards will be gathered and tabulated. Then any brother or sister who has fallen below a fixed standard will be summoned before the board and "labored with."

There will be no guesswork about it. The card with its little punch holes will show how many suppers in the Sunday school room failed to attract. Excuses may be heard but evidently there will be no going behind the returns.

How the scheme will work out remains to be seen but there is a chance that in the long run it will reduce rather than increase attendance. Some of the weaker brethren are likely to quit altogether rather than keep a card which they know in their hearts will record nothing but delinquency and result in a bad half hour on the carpet.

As a separator of the sheep from the goats the card system may have its merits but there is ground for the belief that no system is as good as a good preacher for filling up the pews.—Detroit Free Press.

General Pershing could do good work as ambassador to France, but the American people would much rather see him made ambassador to Germany.—Indianapolis News.

On the Spur of the Moment

THREE WORDS.

Just to whisper in your ear,
A word or two or three,
So that no one else can hear
Excepting you and me.

Three important words are they,
And I'm blushing, goodness knows,
But there is no other way—
"Your petticoat shows."
—Ralph E. Bruenn.

Music is being urged by a prominent scientist as a substitute for liquor. Now, we presume, we are in for a season of home-brewed etudes, cookstove rhapsodies, drug-store symphonies and moonshine mazurkas. Be sure your "Lohengrin" victrola bears the government stamp, and don't buy sheet music or pianola records from bootleggers.

Lucy Page Gaston has resumed her war against cigarets. Now, you see, if we had joined the League of Nations, wars of all sorts would have been stopped.

A pint of modern hootch saved a man's life the other night. He didn't drink it.

PROBABLY QUITE SOME TIME.

"Martin Toot, West end grocer, MET DEATH with an unfortunate accident as he attempted to board a train in the Union station in Pittsburg Wednesday evening, and as a result will be CONFINED TO HIS BED for some time."—East Liverpool (Ohio) Tribune.

Japan has shut down all silk production, but that needn't worry us. We can still get all our silk straight from the Southern cotton fields.

"Clothing, Half Off," signs are seen everywhere. So far as we are concerned, the slogan is absolutely true.

The average man has a right to kick on paying an "amusement" tax on some of the shows he goes to.

The only shimmy dance that is worth anything is that which the laundress does over a washboard.

John Drinkwater has returned to England and will not have to do so any longer.

A Turk has reached the age of 144 years. The good die young.

UNREST.

I am the soul of unrest.
When busy I am at my best.
Work is my only leisure,
Ambition my only fire.
Each day as I grow older
I make this fire smolder.
—A. M. Bernstein.

The late "Coal Oil" Johnnie was a remarkable man in two ways, points out the Medicine Lodge Index. He first spent a million dollars in a few months, and then he managed to live on $50 a month. "We've managed to do one of 'em," says the Index.

Compromise May Result in Burk Church Land War

Special to The Record News.

BURKBURNETT, Texas, Jan. 24. At an official meeting of the Baped that the suit pending between the church and an oil company over the pumper's house on the property could be settled by compromise. The church asks that rent for the house be paid from September, 1919, to present date, for the use of the house at the rate of $25 per month and the costs of the suit todate. The church offers to pay $150 for the house.

The church won the first step in the suit when the district judge held that an oil lease of itself does not also carry the right to erect buildings on the property. The pumper had a building on the lease.

In the Baptist church Sunday school yesterday a donation of $150 was made for the relief of the starving children and other sufferers of Europe, the donation to go through the near east relief fund. A similar donation will be made next Sunday at at the Methodist church Sabbath school. These donations, with the promised collections at the picture shows, will carry Burkburnett's contribution far over the quota of $3,000 asked of the city.

The Burkburnett Star prize circulation campaign closed with the following results: Miss Marie Gormley first prize, a Nash car valued at $2,090; Miss Pansy Terry, second prize, $400 diamond ring. Other valuable prizes were given.

The official judges of votes were representatives from each of the three banks of Burkburnett. The contest covered seven weeks and the circulation of the Burkburnett Star was increased to more than 2,000. During the final hours of the contest a large gathering of friends of the respective contestants formed a gay party in the outer office of the Star. The prizes were distributed immediately after the final count.

MISMANAGEMENT IS DENIED BY DIRECTORS

By Associated Press

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Denial of charges of mismanagement of the affairs of the American Smelting and Refining company by the controlling Guggenheim interests, made recently by Karl Eilers, former director and vice president, is contained in a statement to stockholders, signed by 21 directors and made public here today by Simon Guggenheim, president.

DELANO WINS 3 AND LOSES ONE OIL LAND FIGHT

By B. N. TIMONS,
Record News Washington Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The supreme court today ordered the return by Receiver Delano of the Southwestern Petroleum company's well No. 180, in the section of Burkburnett field which is being contested by Texas and Oklahoma. At the same time the court denied the petitions in three other cases in the disputed area.

In ordering Delano to return the Southwestern Petroleum company's well, the court said that this well is plainly outside of the receiver's territory and is owned under Texas state patent.

Delano was also ordered to return money obtained from sale of oil from the well, minus operation costs. The motion in this case was by Judge A. H. Carrigan of Wichita Falls, who was in court at the time the decision was rendered.

The court denied the petition of the Sinclair Oil and Gas company to have Denalo return one-sixteenth of the proceeds of that company's wells, which the receiver has used for operation.

The Oklahoma Petroleum and Gas company also was unsuccessful in its effort to have the court issue an order directing Delano to file a statement of expenses incurred by him between May 16, 1920, and Jan. 1, 1921, and also to be compensated for the one-sixteenth part of its production Delano has taken. Delano won another decision when the court denied the motion of C. J. Benson, William Murdock and Ames A. Armstrong, requiring Delano to file an inventory of materials and equipment purchased by him from proceeds of the sale of oil.

Coal Operators Are Willing to Meet Obligation

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Pennsylvania anthracite producers who are independent of the railroad corporations which control the bulk of production in the industry, today put before the senate committee considering the Calder coal regulation bill, a statement indicating their willingness to take steps to meet all justified consumers' complaints.

"The record of the anthracite industry is that it has attempted to distribute coal equitably among users," the statement as read by W. J. Thompson, representative of an association of 104 colliers, declared. "It has aimed to modify prices to meet the views of the department of justice. It comes before the senate committee with the suggestion that if these several lines of action are not sufficient it will do whatever else may seem to be desirable, if the senate committee will indicate what further it deems should be done."

Former Governor Curtis of Maine said the taxation provisions of the Calder bill, which would take up to 90 per cent of brokerage fees charged on coal sales when they rise above set maximums, would make it "the most stupendous aid to profiteers ever devised."

Harding Will Conclude Peace With Germans

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—One of the first acts of the incoming national administration, Harold Knutson, republican representative from Minnesota said here tonight, will be to conclude peace with Germany and Austria.

"The business interests of this country are willing and anxious to resume relations with our late enemies," he declared in a speech before the New York Lutheran Society.

"Congress sought to circulate formal peace but was prevented from doing so by Presidential veto. The war is over and there can no longer be any excuse for our not doing so."

He characterizes the present foreign policy of the United States as indefensable saying it was depriving America of a market containing 75,000,000 people. It will take years to regain ground which is now being lost he said, adding that America's "failure to participate in the world wide commerce is largely responsible for the present economic depression."

Tribal Indians To Be Wards of U. S. Indefinitely

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Tribal Indians will be wards of the federal government until "fully emancipated," the supreme court held today in a case affecting more than 25,000 acres of Osage grazing lands.

Decrees enjoining George J. and Anne Le Motte as agents for a meat company from entering into leases with Indian owners of the lands without approval of the secretary of the interior were upheld.

Federal supervision "over such affairs of these Indians," the court said, "is part of the plan under which they are being conducted from a status of tribal dependence to a state of independence."

FOUR OF FIVE ALLEGED 'CON' MEN CAPTURED

By Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 24.—J. F. Norfleet of Hale Center, Texas, today drew a black line through the fourth name on a list of five men. But one now remains of five who, Norfleet charges, swindled him out of his life savings of $45,000 in a bogus oil scheme 15 months ago.

Norfleet, his son, Jesse M. Brown, district attorney of Fort Worth, and a detective today left for Fort Worth with Joseph Feury, alias J. B. Stetson, taken in Jacksonville, and charged by Norfleet with being one of the five alleged swindlers. One of the others is serving a ten-year prison sentence, another is out on bond following his arrest on swindling charges in Texas, a third committed suicide in Washington, and the fifth is at large.

Feury jumped from a moving train during the trip here from Jacksonville, but was recaptured after a fight, Norfleet stated.

Shortly after the alleged swindle, Norfleet took his son from college, and the pair trailed the men through most of the large cities of the United States. Norfleet announced he would not call it quits until he had found the fifth man.

STATE BEGINS HEARINGS ON NEINAST CASE

AUSTIN, Jan. 24.—The committee appointed by Speaker Thomas to investigate charges brought against Representative H. J. Neinast of Washington county by Robert B. Thrasher of Travis county and Thomas G. Pollard of Van Zandt county, contesting his seat in the legislature began hearing evidence today on the case.

Neinast is charged with having been convicted on his own plea of guilty to conspiring against the United States during the world war, that he was obstructing the draft. Neinast admits that he paid a fine of $50 on this charge but that he did so to minimize the court proceedings and because it was the cheapest way to get out of it.

The committee summoned twenty-six witnesses most of whom are from Washington county. Several of them were heard this afternoon, but Neinast was on the stand most of the time. He is represented by John Matthews, an attorney of Houston, while Representative Joe Burket of Eastland is contributing the investigation for the committee. W. M. Fly of Gonzales county, is chairman of the committee.

The testimony offered by Neinast this afternoon was to the effect that he had affirmed the affidavit of a young man of that county who was trying to get deferred classification in the draft that he might remain at home sufficient time to gather his crops. Neinast reiterated his statement that what he made affidavit to, was true, but that he was not conspiring against the United States. The members of the committee expect the investigation to last several days.

Missouri Man Is Found With Skull Crushed

By Associated Press.

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Jan. 24.—Twenty-five dollars in two paper bills were found tied around one of the ankles of the body of a white man, apparently between 21 and 30 years old, which was found by hunters today, 15 feet from the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad right of way, a few miles north of here.

The man's skull had been crushed with a heavy club, apparently, as a club about three feet long, and bearing blood stains, was found near by. A slip of paper in the watch pocket of his trousers bore the name of Noah Hoffsinkler or Hoffstutter. His hat, which showed the effect of the blow, bore the trade mark of the "Mammoth Store" of Mount Vernon, Mo.

The man had been dead about ten days, according to the sheriff of Wagoner county. A description of the man is given as "five feet eight or nine inches tall, dark hair, weight 170 to 180 pounds."

O'Callaghan Is Given New Status

By Associated Press.

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 24.—His status established by the secretary of labor and the state department as that of seaman, Donal O'Callaghan, lord mayor of Cork, left here tonight for New York, where he will attend tomorrow night a meeting of the committee in charge of affairs of the Irish relief.

O'Callaghan is at liberty, immigration officers state, to sign on any foreign bound vessel from any port that he may choose.

In a statement here this evening, the lord mayor reiterated his faith in the American people and declared that he believed Ireland's appeal to them would not be in vain. He described how during the early days of the American revolution Benjamin Franklin went to Ireland seeking aid for the struggling colonies.

PICTURESQUE CAPT. STREETER PASSES AWAY

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—Captain Geo. Wellington Streeter, chief figure in one of the most picturesque legal struggles ever enacted in Chicago, is dead. Captain Streeter was claimant to the title for a large section of the near north side along Lake Michigan commonly known as Streeterville.

His death occurred Saturday night on a little house boat where he made his home, it became known today.

Captain Streeter had been fighting since 1886 to establish his claim to one of the most valuable sections of Chicago's lake front. In that year his schooner, the Reutan, stranded on the beach during a storm. Captain Streeter built a breakwater about the stranded vessel, 450 feet off shore, and made it his home.

The rapidly shifting sands filled in the space between the boat and the shore and in time 1913 acres was added to the city's area. It was this land which Captain Streeter fought for.

Sheriffs Wreck Castle.

In 1915 the courts ruled that Mr. Streeter had no title to the property and his brick castle, which had succeeded the schooner domicile, was wrecked by deputy sheriffs.

The site of Captain Streeter's district is part of Chicago's famous "gold coast" and is now covered by more than a doen skyscrapper apartment buildings and hotels. The land is valued at more than $50,000,000.

Mrs. Streeter, who fought side by side with the captain, was with him when he died. Friends of the couple said Mrs. Streeter would continue the fight, which the self-styled mayor of Streeterville had made for thirty-five years. Captain Streeter was 80 years old.

At various times in the seizure, police were driven off in rifle battles. The captain was supported by William H. Niles, commanding general of the "district's" army.

Police Besiege Streeterville.

On one occasion 500 police besieged Streeterville. "General" Niles proclaimed himself "military governor of the district of Lake Michigan" and with 50 men of his "escort" erected breastworks surmounted by barbed wire and stood off the police for several days, before desertions in the ranks so weakened the defending force that a lone policeman finally executed a flank attack and carried the fort.

In 1920 Streeter and two friends were convicted on manslaughter in connection with the death of John S. Kirke, killed in one of the frequent assaults on the castle. All were sentenced to life imprisonment, but after a few months were released.

Streeter's claim to the land was based on the contention that the act creating the state of Illinois fixed the "meander line" of the lake as the boundary and that therefore his "district" was outside the state and owed allegiance to no one except the United States.

The courts held, however, that Illinois extended to the center of Lake Michigan, that all land created by natural secretions of the lake belonged to the adjoining property owners and that all lands created artificially belonged to the state. The standing of Streeter's schooner created land artificially, it was held.

NEW YORK PLUMBERS PLEAD NOT GUILTY

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Thirty-one firms and individuals in the plumbing trade who were indicted last Friday on charges of violating the state anti-trust laws pleaded not guilty today in supreme court.

The indictments, which grew out of the legislature building trust inquiry, alleged that the defendants agreed before December, 1919, to cease competing with an another, and that all his bids over $250 should be approved by John T. Hettrick or raised at his request.

PASTOR-REFEREE STOPS THIS BOUT

By Associated Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 24.—Wildcat "Kid" Ferns' attempted come-back here tonight ended in the sixth round when Rev. Earl A. Blackman, the referee, stopped the bout to save Ferns further punishment at the hands of Harvey Thorpe of Kansas City, after he had been knocked down for the count of nine and then six.

GRACE ASSERTS SCHWAB PAID OWN EXPENSES

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Eugene R. Grace, president of the Bethlehem Steel corporation, appeared tonight before the Walsh congressional committee investigating the affairs of the United States shipping board and corroborated the testimony of Charles M. Schwab that no part of the latter's personal expense as an officer of the emergency fleet corporation has been charged to ship construction.

Colonel E. H. Abadie, former comptroller general of the board, and Perley Morse, an accountant, previously had notified the committee of the discovery of a voucher for $269,543.53, alleged to cover personal expense of Mr. Schwab during October, 1918, when he was director general of the fleet corporation. An audit of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding corporation's books, they added, disclosed that $100,000 of this amount had been charged to ship construction. Mr. Morse explained, however, that when he made his report concerning the voucher he did not certify, and cannot now say, whether this item was not eventually allocated or charged.

Mr. Grace explained that the payment of $269,543.53 had been made to Mr. Schwab in accordance with the regular methods pursued in reimbursing Mr. Schwab for expenditures made by him and his office organization in connection with the company's business.

In distributing this item among the various departments of the business, $100,000 of it was charged to the Bethlehem Shipbuilding corporation, which is a Bethlehem subsidiary in charge of shipbuilding. It was not charged, the witness said, to the cost of ships, as had been testified by Colonel Abadie. As a matter of fact, Mr. Grace added, the Bethlehem company never claimed this $100,000 was an item of cost against the government ships, but charged that amount to profit and loss.

Mr. Grace submitted photostat copies of various vouchers and other papers purporting to show the purpose of this transaction from beginning to end.

Irving N. Kulner, an accountant employed by Perley Morse & Co., preceded Mr. Grace on the stand. He was identified as the man who discovered and reported the voucher in question. Kulner testified it was a Bethlehem Steel corporation voucher, drawn to C. M. Schwab, and that the word "personal" was not on that voucher. The witness explained he did not trace the voucher and had no knowledge of the final disposition of the item. He added that a further search, which was prevented by the stopping of the audit, might have disclosed a credit. He confirmed Mr. Morse's testimony that he (Kulner) had been informed by an employe of the Bethlehem corporation that the $100,000 had been disallowed.

Mexican Labor To Pick Cotton Around Electra

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Jan. 24.—One hundred and thirty Mexican laborers reported here today from Fort Worth to work in Wichita county cotton fields near this city. They will be paid $1 a hundred to pick 1,000 bales. This amounts to $5,000.

The Electra Chamber of Commerce worked out an arrangement whereby Electra business men will furnish the money for picking the cotton and will charge no interest on it. Labor costs will be repaid when the staple is sold.

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Girls Friendly Society Meets at Gaffney Home

Misses Nina Bradshaw and Hazelle Roberts were hostesses to the Girls Friendly society Friday evening at the home of Mrs. M. Gaffney, 1107 Austin street.

In a short business meeting reports were read from the standing committees, and the Valentine dance which was to have been given February 11 at the Kemp hotel was postponed indefinitely.

Plans were also completed at this meeting for the dancing party which will be held Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Reid.

During the social hour delicious refreshments, consisting of fruit salad, wafers, cake and coffee, were served to about 15 members.

Civic League Puts Off Box Supper Fete

On account of conflict with several other social events which have been planned for Thursday evening, the Civic league announced Monday that the box supper scheduled to take place at the Kemp hotel on that evening would be postponed until February. The new date will be announced later.

Twenty-five Attend Good Shepherd Guild

The Guild of the Good Shepherd held an interesting business meeting at the parish house Monday afternoon, with 25 members present.

Mesdames Fred T. Datson and George Fuller, who were elected delegates from the guild to attend the annual council of the diocese which is being held at Paris, Texas, left for that city Monday afternoon, accompanied by the Rev. F. T. Datson.

Double Wedding Will Be Held Here Today

A double wedding, which will be of interest to a large number of friends, will take place today, when Henry and William Schmidt, brothers, and sons of Mrs. Annie Richards of 309 Walnut street, wed Misses Opal and Loriene Walker, sisters.

William Schmidt will wed Miss Opal Walker, and Miss Loriene Walker will become the wife of Henry Schmidt.

Both couples will live at 309 Walnut street.

The woman's auxiliary of the Central Presbyterian church will hold its regular monthly social meeting this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. G. Fain, 1704 Buchanan street.

The Business Girls club will hold its monthly social meeting this evening at the Y. W. C. A. The program will be furnished by members whose birthdays come in December and January.

The Standard club will hold its regular meeting this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Kemp public library.

With the Women of Today



Miss Nellie Miller, instructor, standing, with one of the foreign mothers in her class.

Americanization was the most popular phrase which was bandied about here and there during the past year. Everybody was reading about Americanization work, studying it, lecturing on it, working at it or scoffing at it. The term has been much abused and the work has been often silly and futile attempts to accomplish a worthy end. Now, however, it is on a saner basis, and the present Americanization work in most cities and in the country is a great force toward unifying our cosmopolitan population.

In Brooklyn, N. Y., for instance, a very practical bit of work is being carried on by a young woman who works in connection with the schools there. She is Miss Nellie Miller. Miss Miller teaches foreign born, or foreign speaking mothers, to speak English. Her classes are growing rapidly. Nurseries for the babies have been provided in order that the women may be free for a couple of hours a day to learn the intricacies of elemental grammar necessary to help them understand and be understood in this country.

Not only do the mothers learn English, but they learn to dress and live in an approved American fashion, because of their intercourse with the American teachers.

Women in Foreign Parliaments

There are more than one hundred women in foreign parliaments, but not one in the national legislative bodies of the United States, although two of the women now serving on foreign parliaments are American born. There are thirty women in the German reichstag, six in the Polish diet, while Denmark, Finland, England, South Africa and many other countries have women in their national assemblies. The two women now in the houses of Holland were elected by the vote of men. More than 5,000 women are members of the municipal councils of Europe.

First Woman Speaker

Mrs. Mary Allen Smith of Vancouver, B. C., has been offered the position of speaker of the house in the British Columbia assembly and has accepted. She will be the first woman speaker of a legislative body in the world. She has been a representative from Vancouver for two years, and has done much toward improving legislation for women. As a member of the legislature she was compelled to remove her hat when addressing the speaker. She is privileged as speaker to wear a hat during sessions. She will be addressed by members as "Madame Speaker."

Business, Not Pot-Boiler

Catherine Filene, director of the Intercollegiate Guidance Association, has compiled a great deal of good advice about vocations for women in a book called "Careers for Women." One big message runs through the book, that the woman who enters business as a side issue, while her real aim in life is social recreation, cannot possibly win out in the struggle for existence.

A Woman of Yesterday

Sarah Bernhardt has made a success in a new drama, "Daniel," in Paris. She appears only in the first and last acts, and is not required to rise from her chair. She proposes to play it in America.

Grammar Without Rules

Grammar is being taught without text books in Montana because Miss May Trumper, state superintendent of public instruction, thinks that too much time is squandered in teaching rules that have no meaning. She is urging teachers to teach grammar by examples in the old classics, rather than by the learning of rules.

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At the extreme right is a pretty and unusual afternoon costume. It is fashioned of white tussak cloth with a daring blouse of red and foulard. The blouse is made in the approved kimono style with a plain front and back, which blouse more than a little. A triangular design and slashed effect are embroidered in white on the front. Otherwise there is no trimming.

In the center is the dainty creation of a New York designer for evening or dance wear. It will solve the problem of the dinner or dance invitation. White pussy willow satin with silver lace and green ostrich tips makes for simplicity and distinction as well.

Indian's Claim for $2,000,000 Is Denied

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Claim of Maggie Parjo, a Creek Indian, to Oklahoma oil lands valued at more than $2,000,000, was denied today by the supreme court in dismissing appeal from lower court decisions.

The land was originally allotted to Anna Bird, Maggie's sister, and under the Oklahoma law of succession, passed to her father on her death.

NEWS NOTES FROM MOVIELAND

BY DAISY DEAN

Miss Ann May, the pretty Marshall Neilan star, says there is no such thing as an eight-hour day for her. No, indeed, when her work before the camera ends, there is still a day's work ahead of her. She has to keep in constant training to remain "fit" for her work, for one thing, and then she plans her costumes, studies up on her characters and reads.

In the few moments she does take for relaxation she usually amuses herself playing with her strange pet, "John Standish." Mr. Standish, be it known, is the turkey pal seen in the picture.

FIVE STARS.

Here's a record of the present activities and future plans of the movie actors now known as the "big five":

Charlie Chaplin—Starting work on the last three pictures he has contracted to make for First National. He expects to finish these and to start work on his first for the United Artists before next December. First National, meanwhile, is preparing to release his new six-reel comic, "The Kid."

Douglas Fairbanks—Finishing "The Nut" and planning to start "The Virginian" before April, then to go abroad for "The Three Musketeers."

Mary Pickford—Going to Europe with Fairbanks to make "Little Lord Fauntleroy" in England, and a Dutch picture on the Zuyder Zee. May also make "Peter Pan."

Bill Hart—Completing the last of a series of nine pictures, then plans to retire and write Western novels.

Roscoe Arbuckle—In the midst of a series of five-reel comedies, now engaged on "Three Miles Out."



ANN MAY AND "JOHN STANDISH."

With the Paint and Canvas,

Lucy Cotton, whose lovliness has been transferred to the canvas by such celebrated artists as Harrison Fisher, (who pronounced her 'the ideal' type of southen beauty,) Charles Dana Gibson, Alonzo Kimball and Christy, posed last week for E. O. Hoppi, the celebrated English artists, whose work and visit here in America is creating such splendid favor.

"Through the Back Door" with Mary

Al Green and Jack Pickford, the new co-directing team, are hustling these days on the sets for Mary Pickford's new production, tentatively titled "Through the Back Door." We hear it is a typical Mary Pickford story, giving her a kid part in which little Mary excels. It ought to fit like the proverbial glove, since the star wrote it herself.

GOSSIPY BITS.

Eugene O'Brien appears in a new picture called "World's Apart."

Irene Castle has signed a contract to appear in four movies yearly to be produced by the Cawwood Picture corporation.

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Louisiana Board Hopes to Force Martin to Fight

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 24.—The Louisiana boxing commission announced today that every effort would be made to force Bob Martin, heavyweight champion of the A. E. F., to carry out his contract to meet Martin Burke here January 31. Martin has wired that he would be unable to meet the local fighter because he has signed with Tex Rickard to meet Bill Brennan at Madison Square Garden February 18.

Chairman Aury of the commission has wired the New York boxing commission and the International Sporting club, pointing out that Martin's contract to meet Burke was signed before that with Brennan, and asking those two organizations to assist in forcing the New York man to keep his engagement here.

Martin is said to have stated in his message that Tex Rickard objected to his meeting anyone before the Brennan engagement.

'Atzs' Shortstop Goes to Atlanta

By Associated Press.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 24.—Shortstop Bobby Stow of the Fort Worth Texas league pennant winners accepted terms today with Atlanta of the Southern by which club he was drafted last fall. At first, Stow, whose home is here, announced he would not leave Fort Worth.



Muddy Ruel.

No player in the sweeping swap engineered by the Yankees and Red Sox this winter, was more pleased over the change than Muddy Ruel, catcher. The move from Yank town to the Hub means in all probability that Ruel will get a chance to work regularly behind the bat and Ruel realizes that. Truck Hannah did the bulk of the catching for Huggins last year and, had Ruel not been included in the deal, he would have had to play second fiddle to Wallie Schange, included in the squad of Red Sox players the Yanks obtained. Now Ruel will be No. 1 of the Sox receiving staff.

Ruel joined the Yanks in 1917, coming up from the American association in 1917. He is a good catcher and a fair hitter.

Burk Injunction Suit vs County Court Deferred

Postponement of the injunction suit brought by the city of Burkburnett against Wichita county and the county commissioners court until attorneys for the plaintiff can prepare a brief in the case was ordered Monday morning by Judge Ed Napier in Seventy-eighth district court after partial testimony had been heard.

Final hearing of the case will be held the latter part of this week, it is expected.

Judge Harvey Harris is counsel for the defendant, and C. C. McBride, city attorney of Burkburnett represents the interests of Burkburnett.

Celestial photography (views of the heavens) was begun by Professor Bond, of Cambridge, Mass., in 1851.

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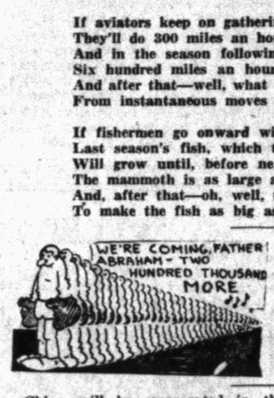
By W. A. Paxton

IF

If huge Babe Ruth continues to improve,
He'll hit 100 homers on the coming season—
Two hundred four-ply swats in 1922—
And after that—well, is there any reason
To think, suppose, or even hint that he
Won't soak four hundred such in '23?

If aviators keep on gathering speed
They'll do 300 miles an hour before next fall—
And in the season following—there's not a doubt—
Six hundred miles an hour will seem quite small.
And after that—well, what can stop an ace
From instantaneous moves from place to place?

If fishermen go onward with their lies,
Last season's fish, which touched a six-inch mark,
Will grow until, before next winter's snows,
The mammoth is as large as any shark.
And, after that—oh, well, they will not fail
To make the fish as big as any whale!



There were, originally, four brothers in the Gibbons family, of St. Paul, and all were boxers. At the last count, they had twenty children among them all growing up to be fighters. At that rate of increase, how many years will elapse before the land will be so full of Gibbonses that all the rings can't hold them?

China will be represented in the League of Nations by Dr. Koo. Koo Koo?

The Osage Indians will divide $33,000,000 of Government coin among them, and expect to receive $50,000,000 from oil leases. Osage melons, as it were.

FAMOUS FAKES

The miracles of Baal.
Gans and McGovern.
Bolshevik principles.
Jack O'Brien's battles. (Says so himself.
Kultur.
Sharkey and Fitzsimmon's first fight.
The 1919 Series.

Garry Herrman decided to retain his great little third baseman because he realized that the chances of the Reds would Groh decidedly slim without him.

Pittsburg is thinking of giving a trial to a California semi-pro named Tom Auley. Chile con Carne and Spaghetti will be signed up a little later.

A batsman, a slugger named High
Showed the miners a keen batting igh—
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SPORT SNAP SHOTS BY JACK KEENE

The knockers prove by their knocking that Judge Landis is the right man for the position of supreme head of baseball. Knockers don't hit at men they can wind around their fingers—they humor such men.

The racing stable of the late William K. Vanderbilt will be seen in competition at Belmont Park and other tracks in this country next season. A. K. Macomber, who bought the entire stable as well as the breeding establishment with sires, mares and equipment, has found his stable in France unwieldy and announced recently that the Vandelbilt string, with the exception of a few two and three-year-olds which are extensively engaged in future French stakes, will be sent to the U. S. as soon as possible.

Here's a new angle to the record offer made by the Giants for Rogers Hornsby:

Incredible as it may seem, one baseball man, who heard the inside of things during the gathering of magnates in Chicago recently figured it out that while the New York Giants offered $250,000 or $300,000 for Hornsby, they would have gotten him for practically nothing had the offer been accepted. He even guessed that the star would have cost still less had he been bought for a half million dollars.

It was first pointed out that the offer was made before the year 1920 had ended. As every one knows, the Giants had a tremendous season last year. Naturally the excess profits tax would take a big chunk for the government. But the club was entitled to charge off any expense connected with the running of its business. Money paid out for the purchase of Hornsby or any other player, would be expense.

Suppose the club made a profit of $600,000 or $700,000 last season, which may be too big a guess or too small. On that profit the government would take a huge slice. Suppose $250,000 or even $300,000 could have been spent for Hornsby and charged as expense. Not nearly so large a percent of what was left would go to the revenue collector. The difference might have been close to the amount offered for the star. St. Louis would have had to fork over some of the purchase price to Uncle Sam, of course.

Without knowing what the Giants' profits were and what the excess profits tax would be, one can't figure the thing out. Maybe some expert on finances could.

Nothing would please Pinkey Mitchell more than a return match with Willie Jackson in New York, for he is confident of upsetting him inside of half a dozen rounds. If Jackson passes him up, Pinkey will be pleased to box Ted (Kid) Lewis at any weight named by the Englishman, the bout to be staged anywhere in America, and all other conditions to be made suitable for Lewis.

Of course Pinkey doesn't bar world welterweight champion Jack Britton in his challenge. He boxed Jack ten fast rounds in Milwaukee December 6 last, and the fans in that city want to see them again.

"I believe I can take Lewis any time we start," declares Pinkey. "I have his style down pat. Britton I'd fight every day in the week.

On behalf of Richie, manager Bill said that he will be ready inside of a few weeks to box all of the contenders, particularly Willie Jackson and Lew Tendler.

Johnny Evers has turned square. Once the firebrand of the National league, he now aspires to a less lurid role and thus does another colorful career fall under a blight. John may become great manager but whatever greatness he may attain as the pilot of a team, he vrobably never will be as famous for that as he was as a team's chief kicker. And let it be said right here that in order to be chief kicker of the old Cubs a fellow had to have quite a kick. John had all the kick that was to be desired. All umpires with good memories can testify to that.

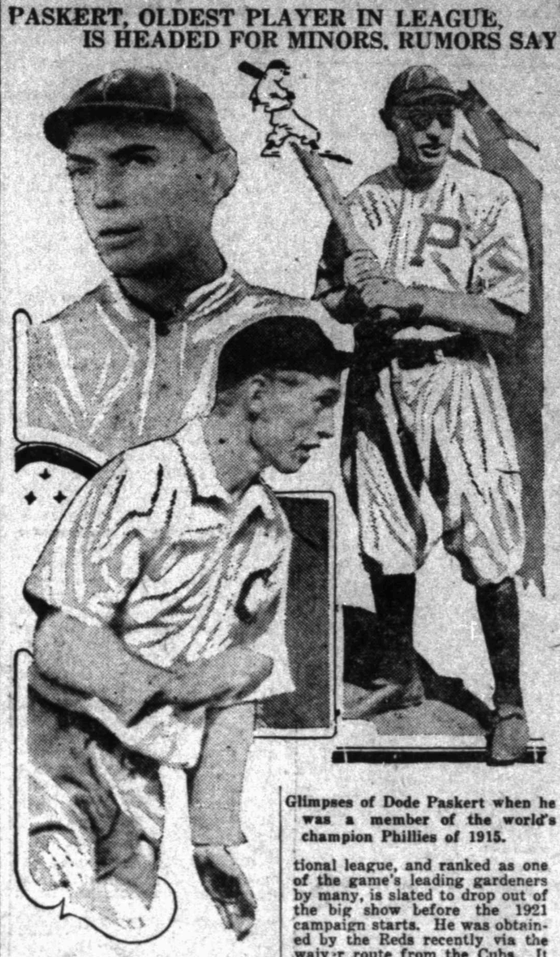
"I am not going to do any more kicking against decisions of the umpires," says John. Furthermore my players this year will be models of good behavior on the field. Even though we lose an extra inning game because some blind fathead—pardon me. That was a slip of the tongue. As I was saying, even though we lose an extra inning game because an umpire misses a close one, we will not kick—much. I believe, and I hope to convert my players to the same belief, that an umpire is human. I have arrived at this conclusion after much thought and no little study. There have been times— but never mind. To get back to the poipt I seek to emphasize. Having come to the conclusion that they are human I realize that, being human, they must err now and then like the rest of us.

"Therefore we shall overlook their mistakes, provided they don't make too many of them. If they do we shall be forced to believe that there is something personal in it, which will put a different face on the matter. In the event of this coming to pass I may be tempted to put a different face on the umpire. However, I think that even in times of stress, I shall keep myself well in check, particularly in view of the fact that most umpires, at least in our league, are big tough guys.

Those who were associated with John last year could see this change of sentiment in regard to umpires gradually creeping over him. He got into very few jams with the judges of play and only once was he in serious difficulty. On that occasion his opponent in a spirited verbal tilt was his old sparring partner, Bill Klem. The scene of the exchange of repartee was the Polo grounds. It was a Saturday afternoon and upwards of 30,000 fans looked on and tried to catch the gist of the conversation. Those who stood close by as the wise cracks shot back and forth between the men agreed that John had much the better of the encounter, even though he did not get put out of the game. The next day John was gracefully accepting congratulations from his friends when he received a telegram from President John A. Heydler notifying him that he was set down for three days.

John was cured. Getting a slam like that for his part in his first real

PASKERT, OLDEST PLAYER IN LEAGUE, IS HEADED FOR MINORS, RUMORS SAY



Glimpses of Dode Paskert when he was a member of the world's champion Phillies of 1915.

Comes word to fandom that Dode Paskert, brilliant outfielder through many seasons in the National league, and ranked as one of the game's leading gardeners by many, is slated to drop out of the big show before the 1921 campaign starts. He was obtained by the Reds recently via the waiver route from the Cubs. It is reported that the Reds will send him to Seattle in part ..yment for Brenton and Bohne.

ignorant essays
J.P. McEvoy

BUNS.
(After they have been Literary Digested.)

Buns according to the Argus Gazette are small portions of bread, convenient in form, palatable to the taste, and very nutritious. While this view is staunchly upheld by the "Danville Illinois Record," the "Wichita Wish" does not agree entirely, nor does the "North Judson Jumpet," the most progressive organ of the Grated Artichoke trade in the Northwest. However, the "Kalamazoo Gazump," the "Hogjaw Bend Razoo" and the "Stonefort Siren" hold that while buns may be small, they are not necessarily nutritious.

This view seems to obtain rather largely, especilly in the Southeast portion of the Northwest states, west of the Fourth Principal Meridian. A straw vote conducted at a vast expense shows (1) that buns are small; (2) they are and they are not convenient; (3) sometimes they are palatable and sometimes they are not; (4) nutritious is relative. Such a symposium as this would seem to know just what. If one is to believe the "Calumet Clarion," the above is all a figment of a febrile fancy, while on the other hand, everything is denied in part and strongly disapproved in its entirety by the "Wuff, Wuff," that sterling organ of the Association for the Prevention of Cruelty to Siberian Cheese-Hound pups.

There is still another angle to the controversy which is even more uninteresting than the above, so we hasten to add it. According to Dr. Kavavoo, the noted French Bunologist in La Mauvaise Nouvelle, buns are only to be eaten on fast days and holy days of obligation, therefore, the size has nothing to do with the caloric content. While this is a decided stand, still it compares favorably at least to some extent with the opinion of Prof. Kafoosh Kafish, the Czecho-Slovak authority in the national organ 'Pzxqualsh-Vwztl?" (What next--If So?)

"Buns, (we quote) are very salubrious (smgshxtl) but do not compare with pretzels (prtxztlmxq) either in caloric content (smoosh) or delicacy of texture, (vrxoosh)"

To sum up, it would seem that the entire matter requires careful consideration and the concensus of opinion agrees with the opinion of the concensus. Certainly nothing could be fairer than that?

(Next week: "Buns", by Edgar Allen Poe).

VAMPS.

A vamp is a female lady whose future consists principally of her past. She vamps a queer looking individual descrived as The Husband. You wonder how he ever gets that way.

(See tomorrow's Ignorant Essay)

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MRS. SHERROD, SCION OF WAR SOUTH, PASSES

Mrs. Amanda Morgan Sherrod, aged 87, daughter of Colonel Samuel D. Morgan, of ante-bellum and Civil war fame, and the widow of Colonel W. S. Sherrod, Alabamian who was one of the most prominent statesmen of the war and reconstruction era, died early Monday morning at her home, 1006 Broad. Death resulted from an illness following her collapse on receiving the news of the death of her grandson, William Sherrod Toney, slain on September 30, while assisting officers in a raid on a Kemp City gambling house.

The funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The home was filled with friends, the majority of them of a quarter of a century's standing, who paid at this time their last respects to the deceased. Here and there in the company appeared a Confederate veteran in the uniform in which the father, brothers and husband of Mrs. Sherrod served in the sixties.

Rev. N. F. Grafton, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, conducted the services, members of the choir singing songs which were favorites of Mrs. Sherrod.

Honorary pall bearers were: John Woodhouse, H. C. Young, Wiley Robertson, J. J. Lory, T. B. Noble, Judge Edgar Scurry and Judge A. H. Carrigan.

Active Pall Bearers.

Active pall bearers were: Joe Henson, Elbert Childers, R. E. Strange, J. N. Prothro, J. L. Mears and T. T. T. Reese. Burial was in Riverside cemetery on the Sherrod lot where the bodies of her husband and grandson are resting.

The five sons and two daughters of Mrs. Sherrod were at her bedside for several days before the end came and despite her suffering and periods of unconsciousness, all were recognized by her in a farewell before the end came.

C. M. Sherrod of Courtland, Ala., St. Clair Sherrod of Buena Park, Cal., and Benjamin Sherrod of El Paso, arrived last week to be at their mother's bedside. The four other children, Miss Lucile Sherrod and Mrs. C. B. Toney and W. C. and Eugene Sherrod reside in Wichita Falls. Mrs. Sherrod had called for the young widow of her grandson, who is in Elk City, and Mrs. Toney also arrived in time for the dying recognition.

Daughter of Statesman.

Mrs. Sherrod's death marks the passing of a gentlewoman of the southern type. Born in Nashville, Tenn., on January 17, 1834, she was the daughter of Samuel Dold Morgan, celebrated as a statesman and as a leader in the commercial world in the ante-bellum days, as well as a warrior and a father of warriors of the Confederacy.

Tennessee, in which he was a leader living, paid his remains the highest honor possible, his body being buried in state in the capitol building at Nashville. One of his sons, Et. Clair Morgan, slain in Chickamauga, was a West Pointer and wassaid by many to have fired the first gun at Fort Sumpter. Another brother, Samuel Dold Morgan, Jr., was killed in 1862 in Kentucky. General John H. Morgan of Mexican war and Civil war fame, was her cousin, and there were other close relatives who all played prominent parts in the history of the south, both the old and new.

Extensivley Educated.

Mrs. Sherrod's education was unusual for the girl of that day, her father, who was noted as a scholar, as well as for his attainments in other lines, paying particular attention to her training in all lines. She was especially talented as an artist, her natural gift for this being cultivated under the direction of the best instructors of the day.

Art critics of the modern school, as well as the critics of her younger days, have pronounced her canvasses the work of genius. It is a true indication of the spirit of the old south that she never commercialized her art, painting always for the pleasure of her family and friends. Many homes in Wichita Falls number among their prized treasures a canvass from her brush.

She was a veritable storehouse of wonderful reminiscences of the days of the "Golden South," of the gay days of the southern capitals, and the national capital as well, before the Civil war tore the land, and the old papers, magazines and books which she treasured told of girlhood days similar to those painted by novelists who recorded the romance of the old south.

Made Flag of Frocks.

When war was declared and the Nashville boys were preparing for their entry into battle the brilliant belle took several of her silken frocks and fashioned a company flag with her own hands and presented it to the company, as they marched by the old Morgan mansion. Old letters, yellowed with years, tell the story of a valiant fight for this flag, one standard bearer after another being slain, but the banner always rescued. And now the once gay bits of silk, faded and aged, hang in the capital at Nashville, together with the other treasures of the days when Tennessee was making history.

Her marriage to Colonel William C. Sherrod took place in 1856, after the gallant young officer had performed signal service to the Confederacy, and for 26 years the family lived in Alabama on a cotton plantation near Florence. Colonel Sherrod was a member of the famous Charleston convention, and also the Baltimore convention, his support of the union persisting until every means failed and secession was upon the south. Then he immediately went into the army and took part in the southern campaigns until the war's close. He was a member of the 41st [illegible] and was responsible for the

TOWN TOPICS

Benjamin Sherrod of El Paso and Charles Sherrod of Portland, Ala., who have been here for the past week during the last illness of their mother, will return to their respective homes Tuesday.

Joe Stack, Fort Worth newspaper man, returned to that city Monday night, after a business trip to Wichita Falls.

David Hinshaw is on a business trip to Northern and Eastern points.

C. F. (Nick) Carter, local newspaper man, has joined the local Chamber of Commerce staff as publicity director. Mr. Carter is also acting as permanent secretary of the local Ad club.

Julian Montgomery, city engineer, has been elected vice president of the Texas Good Roads association, the election taking place at a recent meeting of the organization in San Antonio, which Mr. Montgomery attended.

John Gould is in Waco as representative of the local Ad club at the convention of the Associated Ad Clubs of Texas.

Miss Helen Hood, recreation and girls' work secretary of the Y. W. C. A., is confined to her room following an operation for the removal of her tonsils.

The No. 13 Munger of the Kemp-Munger-Allen company, midway between the No. 12, the company's latest producer, and the No. 1 Munger of the Cline Oil company, a 60-barrel producer, is reported standardizing to complete. The location has already been made for the No. 14, an inside location midway between the Nos. 12 and 13.

H. B. Barnard of Tulsa, superintendent of the casinghead gasoline department of the Sinclair Oil and Gas company, spent Monday in Wichita Falls on a business trip.

R. W. Garrett and P. A. McDermott of Fort Worth, members of the legal department of the Sinclair Oil and Gas company, were in Wichita Falls Monday on business. Incidentally they were on the lookout for homes, as they are among those in the Fort Worth office who are to move up here about the first of the coming month.

Mrs. Sam Thompson and daughter, Phobe, have returned from Bowie, Tex., where they spent the week end, guests of relatives and friends.

Mrs. Josephine Blair Hughes of Dallas is visiting friends in the city.

R. T. Couch, proprietor of the Tenth street drug store, has returned from an extended visit in Houston.

W. T. Harris, county clerk, returned Monday from Dallas, where he has been visiting for the past several days.

County Auditor Pat Murphy left Monday for Austin, where he will confer with officials in the interest of matters of legislation.

Tom Tway left Monday for a business trip to Houston and El Dorado, Ark.

Jack Prince of Electra is in the city.

C. B. Farquason, formerly in the oil business here but now located in Tulsa, was a Wichita Falls business visitor Monday.

Ed Yarbrough, prominent attorney of Electra was in the city on business Monday.

J. L. Waggoner left Monday for Decatur and Fort Worth.

Miss Ruth Williams, student at the Academy of Mary Immaculate, spent Sunday with her parents in Iowa Park.

Bill Hoge left Monday night for Mexico City on a prospecting trip.

G. R. Porter left Monday for Childress and other points on the Fort Worth & Denver.

Father Virgil Krull left Monday for Rhineland, Tex., to conduct an eight days mission at the Rousan Catholic church there. Upon his return here he will hold similar services at the local church.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Sharpe have returned from Seymour, where they visited relatives and friends over Sunday.

W. R. Hobson of Mangum, Okla., is the guest of his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hobson, 2014 Ninth street.

Mrs. Harvey Edmonson will arrive today from Roosevelt, Okla., to spend a few days with her cousins, Mrs. F. A. Ray, 1705 Eleventh street, and Mrs. J. T. Carter, 2014 Ninth street.

W. S. Hamilton left Monday for Vernon.

Luther A. Jones, formerly with Mack Taylor's department store, has accepted a position with the Rexall drug store.

Temple Israel Forum will meet Tuesday night at 8 p. m. at the Temple. A program has been arranged. All Forum members and friends are urged to attend.

J. A. Kemp, who is away on a business trip to New York, Washington and other eastern points, is expected to return about the last of the week.

R. O. Harvey, who attended the Texas league meeting at Galveston Saturday and Sunday, has gone to New Orleans on a business trip.

Frank Kell, who is in Washington attending a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United and who plans to attend the Southern tariff congress in Atlanta, is expected to return about February 1.

Hubert Harrison, general manager of Commerce of the U. S. and who attending a congress of Chamber of Commerce officials in Washington under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce, and who is to remain in the east on Chamber of Commerce industrial matters, will return about February 4, according to information obtained at the offices of the local organization.

G. Clint Wood, who is in the east and north on business, is expected to return to Wichita Falls aroupd the of the week.

Charleston A. Kleinman has returned from a business trip to Eldorado, Ark.

R. H. Joyce has returned to the New Mexico ranches of the Joyce Land & Cattle Co., a Wichita Falls concern, after a brief business visit here.

Charles M. Crowell has returned from Austin, where he attended the Neff inauguration and attended to other business matters in Austin.

passage of the Southern Pacific railway bill.

Twenty-eight years ago the family moved to Wichita Falls.

Colonel Sherrod Deceased.

Three years ago Colonel Sherrod passed on.

Though of the type that is usually found to live in the memories and glories of the past, Mrs. Sherrod took a keen interest in the vital issues of the day and was entirely modern and progressive in every way. Politics, local, state and national, found her interested, as well as did the realm of books and her opinions and views on literature, old and new, were highly valued.

There are many people in Wichita Falls, the young people, as well, as those nearer her own day and generation, who treasured her friendship highly and prized the visits that they had with her and who feel a real, personal loss in her death.

CITY PUTS OFF ACTION ON CAR LINE FRANCHISE

At the conclusion of a hearing Monday night at which a representative of the street car company and several representative citizens and property owners expressed opinions both for and against the proposition, the city council postponed action for one week on the proposed extension of the street car line up Eighth street from Indiana avenue to connect with the present line at the corner of Ninth and Broad streets. Mayor Cline expressed personal disproval of the extension as proposed although saying that he would not oppose its consumation if it was finally shown that a majority of property owners concerned and the public desired it.

Councilmen Bonner, Bralley and Shepherd refused to commit themselves until they had further investigated. Councilmen McDowell and Curlee did not attend the meeting.

Favor Paving Ohio.

The council took favorable action on the proposition of property owners on Ohio Avenue below Sixth street to have that street paved by the county instead of Indiana avenue. A committee composed of Mayor Cline and Councilmen Bonner and Curlee was appointed to meet with the county commissioners and bring about the paving of Ohio avenue if the details in connection with the change can be arranged by city and county officials.

Opposition to the proposed extension of the street car line up Eighth street was based largely on the hazard to life due to the incline on that street. E. H. Staley who declared that he had had considerable experience in street car operation, said that there would be constant danger that motormen would lose control of their cars on the Eighth street incline with a resulting danger to life should the car run wild. Other citizens, none of whom had property on Eighth, expressed the same objection.

Mayor Cline based his objection to the proposed line on the congestion that would occur on Eighth street in the uptown district. He pointed out that the main office buildings of the city were were all on Eighth, within two blocks and that at certain hours congestion exists. He favored a route down either Ninth or Seventh streets in the main business district.

Manager Albritton of the street car company said that the company would not favor any other route and that it "did not particularly care" whether the council granted the Eighth street car route or not. He quoted Frank Kell, to the effect that it was not a matter of great importance whether the extension was granted or not and that the company had only proposed it with a view of bettering their service by cutting down the route distance to the business district from certain residental sections.

In regard to the objection that the incline on Eighth street constituted a hazard to life, Mr. Albritton said that most cities had street car lines on steeper grades. He declared that the cars could be operated without danger.

Seventh Street.

Mr. Albritton said that the company would not consider the Seventh street route. In reply to Mayor Cline's query as to a Ninth street route he pointed out that it would involve additional expense. In that connection he said that it was the intention of the company to some time cross the river on Travis street to serve residents on the north side and if that were done with the Ninth street route it would mean an extra block run in getting to the business district. He also said that the laying of the street car line on the additional block would involve an expense of $10,000. He said, however, that the would take this up with Mr. Kell.

An additional point was brought out by Mr. Albritton when he declared that if the route as proposed were not allowed the comvany would not make other extensions that have been proposed. If the Eighth street route is allowed, he said, that the line at the corner of Broad and Thirteenth would be extended up Thirteenth to Elizabeth avenue at once and eventually it would be the plan of the company to connect with the Southland line on Clark street. When that connection is made the present Southland line would be extended to accommodate residents across the Wichita Southern tracks. He pointed out in this connection the additional residents who would have street car service with shorter runs to the business district.

C. W. Snider Approves.

In addition to the letters from W. Newton Maer, N. Henderson and W. E. Friez, which have been previously published in The Record News, Mayor Cline said that he had received a letter from C. W. Snider favoring the extension on Eighth street. All four men are large owners of property on Eighth.

One local resident expressed disproval of the extension, declaring that all that was needed was an improvement of service over present routes.

Dan Hardy headed the delegation of property owners on Ohio street, who asked that the council co-operate in securing the county paving on that street, instead of the proposed route of Indiana avenue. Mr. Hardy in behalf of the property owners, promised that the change could be made without expense to the city, the owners agreeing to purchase all land necessary to provide for the street. They further agreed to pay the additional cost of paving as wide as that which ends at the corner of Sixth and Ohio streets.

Asks $20,000 for Property.

During the discussion of the proposed change it was brought out by City Attorney Mann that the Indiana avenue route involved considerable expense to the city in spite of the fact that the county is paying for the paving up to a certain width. Condemnation proceedings are now under way so that the city can obtain some land needed on the Indiana street route. In block T, the owners of the land have set a price of $20,000 on the property.

At the request of City Engineer Montgomery the council ordered in some one-half block of paving on Lucile street in the 3400 block, and several small strips on Ninth and Monroe streets.

Wylie Wyatt, who is building a three-story building on the corner of Ohio and Seventh streets, aired a difference with a water company following which the company employes had shut off the water on his lot. In the opinion of the council the request of the water company was not reasonable and no action was taken on the matter. The question involves the practice of requiring a deposit of $2.50 from all property owners before water connection was made.

CITY $5000 TO GOOD ON WATER RUN FOR MONTH

The receipts obtained from the operation of the water plant during December, the first month of operation under city ownership exceeded the operating and maintenance expenses by $5,003.32, according to a report for the month submitted to the city council Monday night by Public Utilities Commissioner Bonner. The report was submitted to Judge Bonner Monday by F. N. Lawton, general manager of the water works.

The report shows that the total income for the month based on earning both metered and flat water sales with a small miscellaneous income was $13,604.56. The operating expense of $7,842.25 and a maintenance expense of $1,758.39, made a total expense of $9,601.24. The disbursements for improvements during the month was $8,839.44.

In making the report Judge Bonner called attention of the council members to the larger revenue that accrues to the city by use of the meters. He said that figures for the month showed that the city had received an average revenue of $3.31 for each service through meters, while the average based on the flat rate was $1.59. In that connection he stated that the water department is installing the meters in all residences, business houses and industrial concerns as fast as meters could be obtained. The average cost of the meters installed during the month of December was $18.15.

STOVE COMPANY RECORDS SEIZED

By Associated Press.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 24.—Books and records of the Monitor Stove and Range company, large manufacturers of stoves, were seized today by federal officers armed with a search warrant issued by United States Commissioner Gregory. It is alleged that certain errors in the 1918 and 1919 income tax returns of the company have been discovered.

CLASSING OF COTTON WOULD BE LICENSED

By Associated Press

AUSTIN, Jan. 24.—Representative Newt B. Williams of McLenan county introduced a bill in the house today providing for the licensing of cotton buyers and classers and that all persons desiring to buy cotton in Texas must procure from the commissioner of agriculture a license as to their ability to buy and class cotton. This bill is intended to protect the cotton buyers from inefficient classors and is expected to cause considerable debate when brought up for passage.

Other bills introduced in the house included one by B. P. Walker of Newton county providing for the regulation of rates to be charged by hotels and placing the regulation of the rates under the Texas railroad commission.

O. B. Black of San Antonio introduced a bill providing for creation of a state real estate commission and requiring real estate salesment of Texas to have a license from this commission.

An amendment to the constitution reducing the number of representatives from 142 to 62 was introduced by T. T. Thompson of Red River county. He proposes two representatives to be elected from each of the 31 senatorial districts. His amendment proposes that the senate shall never be changed.

Proposed amendments to the constitution of the United States to be voted on by the qualified electors of the various states and not by the legislators as at present, was introduced in a house concurrent resolution introduced by John Davis of Dallas. The resolution requires the various states of the union to join in a memorial to congress urging that body to call a convention for the purpose of amending the federal constitution to that effect.

A joint resolution was introduced in the senate proposing an amendment to the constitution to authorize the creation of districts wherein bonds may be issued for the construction of cotton warehouses, grain elevators and potato curing plants.

The senate will hold an executive session tomorrow morning to further consider the question of confirming the appointment of J. A. Herring as member of the prison commission.

There was considerable debate in the house late this afternoon over the bill by Representatives T. M. West of Bexar county and J. M. Nelson of Hopkins county, proposing to postpone the publication of delinquent tax list for the county, special school, district school and levee improvement taxes until January 1, 1922. The bill was still pending when the house adjourned.

POLICE WATCH FOR ALLEGED TRICK DEALER

The police were warned Monday to be on the lookout for J. H. Lewis, alias C. A. Ritter, who is alleged to have been connected with several successful swindling schemes in other cities. It is believed he is headed here. A reward is offered for his arrest.

Under the name of Lewis, the man is alleged to have recently carried out a scheme of getting money from numerous residents of Atlanta, Ga., who wanted rent houses. Lewis, according to information here, placed advertisements in the daily papers of Atlanta, announcing a house to rent. After getting in touch with his prospective victims, appointments were made to show them the house and an advance deposit was required in each instance.

In order that the scheme might be carried out successfully Lewis had selected a house that was for sale and had made arrangements with the owner to show it to persons whom he said were interested with him in a proposition to purchase the house. In this way he was able to take a number of people to the same house and give the transaction the appearance of fair dealing.

Under the name of Ritter it is alleged that the same man secured money from numerous men desirous of employment in Mexico. He represented himself to be connected with the Mexican Oil company, employing men in the United States to go to Mexico. Ritter, it is alleged, got applications for employment, had them furnish photographs, required them to pay a registration fee and a part of what he termed "transportation fee."

Lewis, alias Ritter, is described as 5 feet 10½ inches in height, weight 160 pounds, solidly built and well proportioned; fast talker and convincing; fast walker; aged about 34 years, his hair is iron gray and his teeth are neglected and have yellow tint.

FORD GAIN NOW 2,344.

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24. — At the end of today's recount by the senate committee of ballots cast in the 1918 Michigan senatorial election, Henry Ford had a net gain of 2,344. The recount included 1,574 precincts out of 2,232, in the state. Senator Newberry's plurality was about 7,500.

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DAILY FINANCIAL, OIL AND MARKET NEWS

GRAIN COTTON

MATCHES RISE $1 CASE, SEED ONIONS, DOWN

An advance in the price of matches of $1.50 a case of 144 boxes is the only change registered in local wholesale circles this morning.

Canned salmon and tomatoes continue low as for some time, and are being wholesaled at a figure much below the actual cost of production. This low price is due to the weaker packers being forced by financial difficulties to sell their goods in order to liquidate.

How long this abnormal condition will continue, experienced jobbers cannot predict, but they agree that an adjustment is bound to come in a reasonably short time. For the past 60 days there has been a constant downward tendency and they believe the low mark has been reached.

Seed onions of which there is a good supply are also being sold at a figure lower than the cost of handling, leaving nothing to compensate the grower. Onion sets vary from $1.50 to $1.75 a bushel. Seed potatoes are being sold at a reasonable price of 4½ cents a pound for Triumph and 3½ cents for Irish Cobblers. The market in seed potatoes at this time is in a healthy state and the growers are certain because of normal production and demand of securing a fair margin.

Flour, meal, butter, eggs and other lines handled by local jobbers continue the same.

The following prices were obtained at the opening of the day's business from representative sources and can be relied upon as accurate, although subject to constant fluctuation:

Fresh Vegetables.

Selling prices in Wichita Falls to retailers: Celery $1.25@1.50 a dozen; cauliflower, 16@18 cents a pound; egg plant 10 cents a pound; spinach, 10@12½ cents a pound; lettuce, $4.50 a crate; turnips, 4 cents a pound; cabbage, 3½ cents a pound; yams, 5 cents a pound; onions, 1½@2½ cents a pound; parsley, 75 cents a dozen bunches; mustard, 60 cents a dozen bunches; potatoes, $3.25.

Fresh Fruits.

Selling prices to retailers: Bananas, 9 cents a pound; limes, $1.50 a basket; lemons, $4.50@4.75 a box; grapefruit, $2.00 a box; oranges, California navel, $3.50 a box.

Flour and Meal.

Selling prices to local retailers: Flour, extra high patent, $11.00, basis 192 pounds; high patent, $10.50; 192 pounds; bakers, $10.00, 192 pounds; meal, 76 cents a 25-pound sack.

Canned Vegetables.

Selling prices to local retailers: Asparagus, fancy quality, No. 1, round tips, small white, $3.00; small green, $2.75; large No. 1, round, white, $3.35; green, $3.10; stringless beans, No. 2 fancy, $2.60; No. 2 standard, $1.65; corn, extra fancy, No. 2 $2.20; standard, $1.20; kraut, fancy No. 2, $1.75; sweet potatoes, extra fancy, No. 2½, $2.35; tomatoes, standard, No. 2, $1.10; No. 2½, $1.40; okra and tomatoes, fancy No. 1, $1.10; No. 2, $1.75.

Sugar and Syrup.

Selling prices to retailers: Sugar, best, $8.50 a 100 pounds; pure cane, $9.70 a 100 pounds; Louisiana plantation, $9.50 a 100 pounds. Syrup, Louisiana pure, No. 10 cans, $4.75 a case; No. 5 cans, $2.50 a case; No. 2½ cans $4.50; Georgia pure cane, No. 10 cans $7.00 a case; No. 5 cans $7.75; corn syrup, No. 10 cans, $4.80 a case; No. 5 cans, $5.00; No. 2½ cans, $5.25; Sorghum, No. 10 cans, $5.95; No. 5 cans, $6.30. Cane blended, No. 10 cans, $5.75; No. 5 cans, $6.00.

Beans and Rice.

Selling prices to local retailers: Dried beans, California navies, small, white, 5½ cents a pound; California pink beans, 7 cents a pound; blackeye, 8 cents a pound; pinto 5¾@6½ cents a pound; limas, 8@8¾ cents a pound. Rice, fancy head, 8 cents a pound; Blue Rose, 7 cents a pound.

Canned Fruit.

Selling prices to retailers: Apricots special extra, No. 2½, $5.50; No. 1 tall, $3.60; extra, No. 2½, $5.00; extras, No. 1, $3.65; standards, No. 2½, $4.00; No. 1, $2.50. Cherries, Royal Anne, special extras, No. 2½, $6.50; No. 1 tall, $3.75; extras, No. 2½, $5.60; standards, No. 2½, $4.75. Pears, Bartlett special extras, No. 2½, $6.60; No. 1 tall, $3.70; extras, No. 2½, $5.40; No. 1 tall, $3.70. Peaches, yellow cling, halves, special extras, No. 2½, $5.75; extras, No. 2½, $4.75; No. 1 tall, $3.15; sliced yellow cling, special extras, No. 2½, $5.75; extras, No. 2½, $4.75; No. 1 tall, $3.15. Grapes, Muscat extra, No. 3½, $3.45. Red raspberries, No. 10 solid pack, $21.50.

Evaporated Fruit.

Selling prices to retailers: Apples, California extra, 50-pound boxes, 12½ cents a pound. Apricots, choice, 20 cents a pound. California peaches, 25-pound boxes, choice, 18 cents; fancy, 24½@25 cents; extra fancy, 25½ cents. Raisins, 15-ounce choice, 27 cents; 1-pound, floated Muscatels, (nearly seedless) 25-pound bulk, 21 cents; Thompson's bleached seedless, 25-pound boxes, choice 26 cents. Prunes 40-50s, 25 cents a pound; 50-60s, 22 cents a pound.

Canned Milk.

Evaporated, baby size, 6 dozen a case, $4.50 a case; 3 dozen a case, $6.00; tall, 4 dozen a case, $6.65. Compound, baby, 8 dozen a case, $4.50; 4 dozen, tall, $4.75 a case. Sweetened, condensed, 2 dozen $6.50 a case; 4 dozen, $9.50 a case; No. 10 confectioners' milk, ⅓ dozen to the case, $5.40.

Oil and Shortening.

Shortening, Tierces, 13 cents; 100-pound metal drums, 13½ cents. White oil, tanks, 11½ cents. Peanut oil, tanks per pound, 18½ cents.

Onion Sets and Seed Potatoes.

Onion sets, $1.50 to $1.75 a bushel. Seed potatoes 3½ and 4½ cents a pound.

Canned Fish.

Selling prices to retailers: Salmon, fancy Alaskan sockeye, 1 pound, a dozen $5.40; ½ pound, $3.40 a dozen; fancy red, 1 pound, $4.10 a dozen; ½ pound, $2.65 a dozen; tall pink, 1 pound $2.10 a dozen; tall chum, 1 pound, $1.30 a dozen. Sardines, California, oval cans, 1 pound, $8.00 a case; ½ pound, $4.20 a case; Maine quarters in oil, keyless, ¼ pound cans, a case, $5.25; smoked, with keys, in cartons, $11.00 case; Norwegian, ¼-pound, in olive oil, $17.00@19.50 a case. Tuna, white meat, 1-pound, 6:15 a dozen; ½ pound, $3.60 a dozen; ¼ pound, $2.10 a dozen; albacore tuna, ½ pound, $1.75 a dozen; ¼ pound, $1.18 a dozen.

Dairy Products.

Prices to local retailers: Butter, creamery, 60 cents a pound; cottage cheese, 20 cents a pound; milk, 65 cents a gallon; buttermilk, 40 cents a gallon; single cream $2.40 a gallon.

Poultry and Eggs.

Prices paid by local jobbers to interior shippers: Hens, 24 cents a pound; roosters, 12 cents a pound; broilers, 36 cents a pound, turkeys, 35 cents a pound; ducks, $4.80 a dozen; geese, 16 cents a pound; eggs, candled, 55 cents a dozen.

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Atlantic Coast Line	200	84⅝
Alt., Gulf & West Indies	6600	68½
Baldwin Locomotive	12300	86¼
Baltimore & Ohio	2400	34⅝
Bethlehem Steel "B"	9300	55
Canadian Pacific	2800	115½
Central Leather	2100	40⅞
Chandler Motors	2600	69¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	500	59⅛
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	900	28½
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	1400	26½
Chino Copper	500	22½
Coca Cola	700	23¼
xColorado Fuel & Iron		28
Corn Products	1500	71
Crucible Steel	14400	94⅝
Cuba Cane Sugar	600	24⅝
Erie	700	13¼
General Electric	400	126⅝
General Motors	5700	14⅝
Great Northern pfd.	1500	76¼
Gulf States Steel	100	30
Illinois Central	300	90
Inspiration Copper	700	35
Int. Mer. Marine, pfd.	1500	54¼
International Nickel	900	15
International Paper	5100	54¼
Kennecott Copper	1700	19⅞
Louisville & Nashville	300	99⅝
Mexican Petroleum	33800	152⅝
Miami Copper	300	18⅝
Middle States Oil	3600	13
Midvale Steel	1800	31
Missouri Pacific	800	18⅝
New York Central	600	72
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford	2400	20½
Norfolk & Western	200	100⅝
Northern Pacific	6600	33
Okla. Prod. and Refining	2000	1⅝
Pan-American Petroleum	7200	73⅝
Pennsylvania	1500	41½
Pittsburgh & W. Va.	1200	22
Pure Oil	1500	15
Ray Consolidated Copper	3200	12
Replogle Steel	200	33½
Rep. Iron & Steel	2900	65⅛
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	2200	65¼
St. Louis and San Fran	400	21⅝
Seaboard Air Line	400	6⅝
xSeaboard Air Line pfd.		13¼
Shell Trans. & Trad	700	45⅛
Sinclair Oil & Refining	6200	25¼
Sloss-Shef. Steel & Iron	400	57
Southern Pacific	3600	97⅛
Southern Railway	2000	22⅞
Southern Railway, pfd.	100	58⅞
Standard Oil of N. J. pfd.	700	108⅝
Studebaker Corporation	46000	66⅝
Tennessee Copper	300	8⅝
Texas Co.	3600	42⅞
Texas & Pacific	600	19⅝
Tobacco Products	400	85¼
Transcontinental Oil	700	10
Union Pacific	700	119⅝
United Fruit	1200	104⅝
U. S. Food Products	700	34⅛
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	600	87⅛
U. S. Retail Stores	2600	56⅛
United States Rubber	7000	68⅝
United States Steel, pfd.	1400	111
Utah Copper	2200	65¾
Vanadium Corp.	1600	37¼
xVirginia Caro. Chem.		36
Western Union	100	87¼
Westinghouse Electric	300	45
Willys-Overland	2200	7⅜
Total Sales 551,300.		

COTTON PRICE INCREASES ON BULLISH NEWS

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 24. — A strong tendency to advance featured the trading in cotton today, prices being higher on the opening call, reaching new high levels every now and then during the day and standing 58 to 65 points up toward the end. The close was at gains for the day of 46 to 56 points with March at 14.33. The main reason for the buying appeared to be a more bullish opinion of the European political situation. Strength of Liverpool made a deep impression before the market here opened and traders viewed in a most conservative light the probable outcome of the meeting of the supreme council. The bearish figures on ginning had no effect against values whatever, although they were slightly larger than the private bureau forecasts of last week, which many people were inclined to regard as too large. The total of 12,016,465 bales as the amount ginned to January 16, according to the census bureau, was accepted as confirming estimates of a total crop of 13,000,000 bales. The steadiness of the market in the face of this report, which appeared on the opening, probably had much to do with the later demand.

NEW YORK COTTON.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Early irregularity was followed by a sharp advance in the cotton market today, accompanied by reports of a better trade demand for both foreign and domestic account. The general market closed very steady at a net advance of 43 to 65 points. The market opened firm at an advance of 15 to 43 points on better cables and Liverpool buying. Prospects for very heavy notices tomorrow and indications that there will be fully 75,000 bales of cotton in the local warehouse stock by the end of the month probably stimulated March liquidation. January contracts held relatively steady, however, while Liverpool continued a good buyer here, and there were reports of continental as well as domestic mill demand. These features, combined with the firmer ruling of foreign exchange, held selling in check after the early break, and the market advanced later on covering. The close was a few points off from the best under realizing. The census report showed 12,016,465 bales ginned prior to January 16, but was about as expected and without any special influence of the market. Private cables from Liverpool attributed the advance there to covering and complained of a continued poor trade demand. Reports of industrial depression in Belgium seemed to be offset by the reported success of the Belgian loan of $30,000,000 floated in this country.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 24.—Cotton, spot, slow, prices weak. Good middling 10.63 fully middling 9.78; middling 8.88; low middling 7.63; good ordinary 6.13; ordinary 5.38. Sales 3,000 including 2,800 American; receipts 2,900 bales, including 700 American. Futures closed steady; January 9.38; March 9.43; May 9.58; July 9.70; October 9.76; December 9.71.

STANDARD CUTS LOUISIANA OIL PRICE 50 CENTS

By Associated Press.

SHREVEPORT, La., Jan. 24.—The first cut in the price of Louisiana crude oil to be made from the beginning of general reduction throughout the oil-producing districts of the country was posted today, when the Standard Oil company announced a reduction of 50 cents per barrel in the price of Caddo heavy oil, making the price of Pine Island crude $2 a barrel. No other grades of Louisiana crudes are affected.

Representatives of Oil Concerns Meet To Consider Taxes

By Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 24.—Representatives of petroleum companies in Mexico will meet here on Thursday to consider the draft of a proposed law providing a fixed rate for taxes on petroleum properties and designed to prevent irregularities and alleged frauds in the payment of such taxes.

The measure, which was prepared by Adolfo de la Huerta, secretary of the treasury, will be submitted to the Mexican congress shortly after it convenes on February 7.

MONDAY STOCK MARKET STRONG AND CHEERFUL

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Developments over the week-end recess were far from stimulating, especially in their exposition of industrial conditions, but today's stock market denoted a more cheerful tone, although operations were light.

The most encouraging and significant incident of the session, from the bankers' standpoint was the score of the Belgian $30,000,000 loan, the subscription books being closed almost immediately after the public offering.

Steels and equipments, which were expected to yield to adverse advices received from Pennsylvania and Ohio centers, were comparatively strong, and motors, shippings and rails were also disposed to improve with leather, tobacco and food issues.

Gross gains of 1 to 7 points were retained until the final hour, when selling, induced by the stiffer trend of call money provoked general profit taking, Mexican Petroleum, Crucible Steel, General Asphalt and American International were most susceptible, declining 1 to 4½ points, with a general cancellation of gains elsewhere.

Sales, 500,000 shares.

Among the few stocks to withstand pressure and close at advances were Studebaker and several of the less prominent rails and equipments. United States Steel, after moving in a fractional radius, finished unchanged.

In the foreign exchange market features were French and Belgian remittances, the latter probably reflecting the auspicious flotation of the government loan, while Paris responded to heavy buying in anticipation of a favorable outcome of the approaching reparations conferences. British exchange repeated its recent maximum, and even German and Austrian rates recorded substantial improvement.

Aside from its moderate irregularity on a slight accession of business, the bond market, including liberty issues and foreign war offerings, was featureless.

Total sales, par value, $11,650,000.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 24.—The hog market was active today, but the cattle market was slow, on account of the railroads being behind in their schedules. Most of the receipts were not yarded until noon. Receipts were 5,000 head of cattle, 2,500 hogs and 1,200 sheep.

Cattle, 5,500 head, slow. Beeves $5.00@8.50 stockers $5.00@7.50; cows $3.00@7.25; canners $2.00@3.00; heifers $4.00@7.50; bulls $4.00@5.50; calves $4.00@9.00; yearlings $5.00@7.00.

Hogs, 2,500 head; steady; heavy $9.00@9.25; medium $8.50@9.00; mixed $8.00@8.50; common $7.00@8.00; pigs $5.00@7.75.

Lambs 1,200 head, steady. Lambs $5.00@10.00; yearlings $5.00@8.00; wethers $5.00@7.00; ewes $2.00@6.00; culls $1.00@3.00; goats $1.00@2.00.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 24.—Cattle 12,100 head; beef steers steady to 25c higher; early sales mostly $7.25@8.35; top $8.50; baby beef yearlings $8.75; fat she stock and calves steady to strong; bulk she stock $5.00@6.50; good and choice veal ers $11.00@13.00; stockers and feeders steady to 25c lower; early sales $6.25@8.25; canners and bulls steady.

Hogs, 8,000; slow, 25c@35c higher to shippers; top $9.40; bulk of sales $8.90@9.35; top packers 10@20c higher; best bulk butchers $9.20; good and choice fat pigs $9.50@9.75.

Sheep 9,500 head; strong; fed western ewes $6.35; lambs, steady, 10.35 paid, some held higher.

WOOL AUCTION ANNOUNCED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24. — Approximately 4,000,000 pounds of wool will be offered for sale at auction by the war department at Boston, February 3, it was announced today.

New York Bonds

(Southern.)

xBid.	
xU. S. 2s, registered	99
xU. S. 2s, coupon	99
xU. S. 4s, registered	102
x U. S. 4s, coupon	102
American Smelting & Refining 5s	78
American Tel. & Tel. cv. 6s	96
Atchison gen. 4s	79
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	80½
Baltimore & Ohio cv. 4½s	69⅛
Bethlehem Steel, ref. 8s	99
Central of Georgia Consolidated 5s	89
Central Leather 5s	92⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio cv. 6s	87⅜
Chicago, B & Quincy joint 4s	87⅞
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. cv. 4½s	71½
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry. ref. 4s	48½
City of Paris 4s	96¼
Colorado & Southern ref. 4½s	75
Denver & Rio Grande consol. 4s	65½
Dominion of Canada 5s (1931)	90⅝
Erie gen. 4s	44½
Illinois Central ref. 4s	77½
Int. Mer. Marine 6s	81⅝
Kansas City Southern ref. 5s	74⅝
Liggett & Myers 5s	85
Louisville & Nashville un. 4s	83⅝
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	60
Missouri Pac. gen 4s	55½
New York Central deb. 6s	91⅝
Norfolk & Western cv. 6s	104⅝
Northern Pacific 4s	78
Pennsylvania gen. 5s	91⅝
Reading gen. 4s	81½
Republic Iron & Stele 5s (1940)	86⅝
St. Louis & San Fran adj. 6s	65⅝
Seaboard Air Line adj. 5s	38⅝
Southern Bell Tel. 5s	82
xSouthern Pacific cv. 5s	90¼
Southern Railway ref. 4s	63¼
Southern Railway gen. 4s	61⅛
Texas & Pacific 1st	86⅜
Union Pacific 4s	84½
U. Kingdom G. B. & I. 5½s (1937)	94¼
U. S. Steel 5s	95
xVirginia Car Chemical 5s	93
Wabash 1st	89¼
Wilson & Co. cv 6s	86

LIBERTY BONDS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Liberty bonds closed: 3½s, 92.06; first 4s $7.60; second 4s $7.90; first 4¼s, 88.00; second 4¼s $7.96; third 4½s 90.96; fourth 4¼s 88.32; Victory 3¾s 97.26; Victory 4¾s 97.26.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Prime mercantile paper 7½@cc. Exchange steady. Sterling 60-day bills 3.73½; commercial 60-day bills on banks 3.73½; commercial 60-day bills $3.73; demand 3.78; cables 3.78⅝.

Francs, demand 7.39; cables 7.31.

Belgian francs, demand 7.61; vables 7.63.

Guilders, demand 33.15; cables $3.25.

Lire, demand 3.70; cables 3.71.

Marks, demand 1.70; cables 1.71.

Greece, demand 7.45.

Argentine, demand 34.85.

Brazilian, demand 14.55.

Montreal 11⅛ per cent discount.

Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

Time loans firm; 60 days, 90 days and six months 6¼@6.14 per cent.

Call money steady; high 7; low 7; ruling rate 7; closing bid 6; offered at 7; last loan 7; bank acceptances 5¾@c.

Sterling advanced further in the late dealings. Sixty day bills 3.74 3-4; commercial 60-day bills on banks 3.74 3-4; commercial 60-day bills 3.74 1-4; demand 3.79 1-4; and cables 3.80.

FORIEGN EXCHANGE MARKET ADVANCES

NEW YORK, Jan. 24. — Heavy buying of foreign exchange particularly sterling, French and Belgian francs, featured today's international money market at this center.

Sterling demand bills rose after the close of the market to $3.79 1-4, the highest figures since last August, and Paris bills at 7.38 cents also represented the maximum quotation for a similar period.

The rise in bills on Belgium was even more spectacular, advancing from 7.15 cents, last week's final price, to 7-16 in response to the successful offering of that government's $30,000,000 loan by a syndicate of American bankers. All other forms of exchange except the Dutch and Greek were higher.

Application of E. P. & S. W. Ry Given Hearing

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Hearing on the application of the El Paso & Southwestern Railway company for authority to issue 1,000,000 shares, valued at $35,000,000, was held today by Examiner Burnside of the interstate commerce commission, with no opposition to the plan developing.

Examiner Burnside announced he would take the matter under advisement.

BULLS FACTOR IN ADVANCING WHEAT PRICES

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—Material upturns in the price of wheat took place today, largely as a result of continued foreign inquiry and bullish estimates regarding European requirements. The close was unsettled at 3 1-4c to 4 1-4c net higher with March 1.70 3-4 to 1.71 and May 1.61 1-4 to 1.61 1-2. Corn gained 7-8c to 1 1-8c and oats 1-4c to 1-2c. In provisions the outcome varied from 7c decline to a like advance.

The principal trans-Atlantic inquiry for wheat was from France, where offers of 900,000 bushels good unti tomorrow were requested. Sentiment in favor of the bulls was also stimulated to a considerable degree by figures from the department of agriculture at Washington implying that importing countries needed 8,000,000 bushels of wheat and rye in excess of the surplus available in exporting countries. Minneapolis reported the best flour demand for months.

Corn and oats sympathized with the strength of wheat, notwithstanding that receipts of corn here were the largest of the season.

Provisions averaged higher owing to advances in grain and hogs.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
Mar.	1.67¾	1.71⅝	1.67⅛	1.70⅝
May	1.58	1.62¾	1.58	1.61⅛
CORN—				
May	.68¼	.69⅝	.68¼	.69⅛
July	.69⅝	.70⅝	.69¼	.70⅝
OATS—				
May	.44⅛	.44⅝	.44⅛	.44⅝
July	.44¼	.44⅝	.44⅛	.44⅝
PORK—				
Jan.	.....	.....	.....	23.50
May	.....	.....	.....	23.60
LARD—				
Jan.	13.25	13.25	13.12	13.15
May	13.82	13.87	13.77	13.80
RIBS—				
Jan.	.....	.....	.....	12.65
May	12.75	12.75	12.65	12.65

KANSAS CITY GRAIN.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 24.—Cash wheat: No. 1 hard, $1.69@1.74; No. 2, $1.67@1.72; No. 1 red $1.89; No. 2, $1.88.

Corn, No. 2 mixed 58c; No. 2 white 58½c; No. 2 yellow 58c.

Oats No. 2 white 44c; No. 2 mixed 44c; No. 2 red, 44c.

Rye, $1.55.

COX IN WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Former Governor James M. Cox of Ohio, democratic presidential candidate last year, arrived here today and during his stay will confer with a number of democratic leaders.

There are nine navy yards in the United States.

Court Records

Suits Filed.

J. E. Thrush vs. Lillian Turner, debt.

J. E. Thrush vs. Lillian Turner, the Minnesota Underwriters, garnishee.

J. E. Trush vs. Mrs. Lillian Turner, Cravens and Cravens, garnishee.

J. E. Thursh vs. Mrs. Millian Turner, the Curd Jefferies company, garnishee.

J. E. Thrush vs. Mrs. Lillian Turner, the Hartford Fire Insurance, garnishee.

E. P. Greenwood vs. A. E. Boger and Floyd Ard, debt.

Mrs. Kathleen Howard et al vs. R. N. Webb, debt and foreclosure of lien.

E. E. Pryn vs. Fort Worth and Denver Railway company, damages.

Ollie Pepper vs. Homer Pepper, divorce.

Laura Waggoner vs. Archie Dee Waggoner et al, divorce and receiver and partition of property.

Real Estate Transfers.

C. A. Bond to S. M. Griswald, lot 6, block 31, Southland addition; $5,684.50.

Mrs. Ellen Huggins et al to C. J. Waelder et al, tract of land out of block 236; $5,000.

Marriage Licenses.

Orland Thompson and Miss Mareldu Brooks.

C. H. Bruce, Burkburnett, and Miss Sophia Harryman, Joplin, Mo.

E. P. Grant, Dallas, and Miss Bettie Dickey, Burkburnett.

Willie Fafr and Miss Lillie Bivens.

Oil Leases and Assignments.

T. R. Brunson to Rainbow Oil & Gas Co., of Texas, lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3, block 8, Burkburnett; $10 and other considerations.

Hodge Oil company to John E. Ryberg, 20 acres out of block 38, Red river valley lands; $10 and other considerations.

Fisher Parker Oil company to M. W. Donahoo, lot out of block 9, Wigham addition to Burkburnett; $6,000.

The Oklahoma Oil & Refining Co. to M. A. Isaacs, trustee, 10 acres out of block 75, Red river sub-division; $1 and other considerations.

Brundage Hancock Oil company to Mid-Empire Drilling & Production Co., south 1½ acres out of Dubose survey; $10 and other considerations.

T. R. Brunson to Rambau Oil & Gas Co. of Texas, 1 1-5 acres out of T. J. Redman survey; $10 and other considerations.

C. H. Verchoyle et al to H. C. Thorman, one acre out of block 9, Red river valley lands; $10 and other considerations.

John E. Ryberg to A. P. Ryman, trustee, Pioneer Production company No. 4. 2½ acres out of block 38, Red river valley lands; $10 and other considerations.

MID CONTINENT CRUDE PRICES ARE REDUCED

By Associated Press.

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 24. — The Prairie Oil & Gas Co. today announced a cut of 50 cents a barrel in the price of mid-continent crude. This affects all crude in Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas. The cut is effective at once.

Fort Worth Office Cut.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 24.—Oil companies with general offices for the southwest here, announced today Texas crude would be cut from the present price of $3.50 per barrel, following the announcement of the Prairie Oil & Gas Co. at Tulsa.

NEW YORK SUGAR.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—The local raw sugar market was unchanged at 4⅝ for Cubas, cost and freight, equal to 5.39 for centrifugal. There were no sales reported, although holders were still offering at the same level. There was no change in the market for refined, with fine granulated quoted at 7.75 by all refiners. The market for raw futures was a shade easier under scattered liquidation, although the decline was due as much to a lack of demand as anything else, the total day's transactions amounting to less than 500 tons. Closing prices were 1 to 5 points net lower. Closing bids: January, 4.42; March, 4.52; May, 4.64; July, 4.79.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24. — Butter firm; creamery extras 46c. Eggs lower; receipts 5,602 cases; firsts 33@34c. Poultry alive, higher; fowls 30c; springs 27c.

NEW YORK COFFEE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—After opening at a decline of 3 to 7 points, the market for coffee futures steadied on covering and local buying, encouraged by rumors of a firmer tone in Brazil, and the firmer ruling of foreign exchange rates. The general list closed at a net decline of 2 to 5 points. January 6.16; March 6.41; May 6.81; July 7.20; September 7.55; October 7.65; December 7.85.

Spot coffee was unchanged at 6⅛ to ⅝ for Rio 7s and 9⅛ to 10 for Santos 4s.

To the Voters of Wichita Falls

"I am a candidate for Police Commissioner of Wichita Falls, at the April election, 1921. Upon the solicitation of my friends, I have finally decided to enter the race.

The voters of the city are entitled to know how I feel and think about the Police Department of the city, and what constructive measures I advocate for welfare of the city and for the protection of private property.

I believe that the stress of protection that the police department can afford the public, should be placed upon the protection of life and property, the security of home and fireside, instead of upon parking of automobiles. I believe in a clean city and the strict enforcement of all city ordinances and state laws.

I wish also to state to the voters and good people of Wichita Falls, that it is unnecessary for the Commissioner of Police and the Chief of Police, to import city policemen to patrol the streets of Wichita Falls, and to fill the jobs that many citizens of Wichita Falls who are tax payers and old residents of this city, would like to have. I repeat that when I am elected Commissioner of Police of this city, I will make it a perequisite for every policeman that he be a legally qualified voter of this city and county, and I will then give the preference to Wichita Falls over Waco, Ft. Worth and other cities of Texas.

If you believe in Wichita Falls, and in the proper protection of its citizens and their property, and want to make it a better place for its people to live in, your vote and influence will be appreciated."

C. J. (DAD) ARRINGTON.

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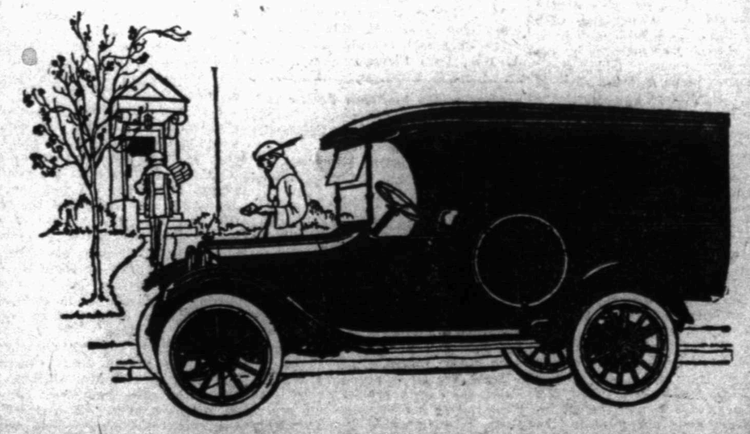
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LOST—Between Wichita Falls and Kemp City, brown bill folder, initials A. C. F. and Fourth division writen in center; contained one $10 bill and two $5 bills. Some valuable receipts. Finder return to Record News office and receive reward.

8 SPECIAL NOTICES

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PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER, NOTARY PUBLIC, ON MEZZAINE FLOOR. KEMP HOTEL. PHONE 4331.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED—We do all kinds of mattress work; will bring samples of ticking to your home and return mattresses same day. Patton Mattress Co. Phone 2930.

FOR PLUMBING, gas and steam fitting see or call I. C. Spivey, the old reliable plumber. 2214 Broad. Phone 6266.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED — Have your mattresses made new. We will bring samples of ticking to your home. Call for and deliver same day. Bell Mattress Co., Phone 2412.

PLUMBING repair work. Phone 6765.

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Shelton Detective Agency incorporated. Does a legitimate line of detective service, both civil and criminal. Phone 1925. 424-426 Bob Waggoner Bldg.

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BUICK 1920 touring; rare bargain, $775, half cash. Three Ford roadsters, $225, $275, $325. Dean's Motor Co., 607 Ohio. Phone 6325.

FOR SALE—Bargain, 7-passenger, 1919 model Cadillac; also 4-passenger phaeton, 1919 model, Cadillac. MUNGER AUTO CO., 616 Scott Ave.

GOOD Cadillac car and about $2,000 cash to trade for medium priced house; must be a bargain. Phone 3887. S. E. Trevathan.

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE

LADIES make spare time money clipping ads for us. Instructions contract 10c; refunded if dissatisfied. Cope Adv. Agency, St. Louis.

$2.50 PER DAY paid lady in each town to distribute free circulars and take orders for Econy Non-Alcoholic Flavoring; permanent position. F. E. Barr Co., Chicago.

7 HELP WANTED—MALE

WE HAVE two more good routes open for men with light cars or horses and cars. We want men who can qualify to give efficient and early delivery and to collect and solicit. An excellent proposition for two live wires. Apply to Circulation Department, Record News.

7 HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Boy to carry Record News route in extreme west end of city. Apply Circulation Department, Record News.

MANAGERS, salesmen, representatives, earn $25 upwards daily; choicest exclusive Texas districts; counties, cities, towns open; selling experience unnecessary; pays owners 100 per cent weekly dividends; easily sells for $3 to $5; unconditionally guaranteed; quickly installed on all automobiles, trucks, tractors; investigate immediately. Texas Sales Association, 1306 Main St., Dallas.

WE HAVE A VERY DESIRABLE ROUTE OPEN FOR BOY WHO IS WILLING TO WORK HARD AND BUILD IT UP; BOY LIVING ON THE NORTH SIDE PREFERRED. APPLY CIRCULATION DEPARTMENT, THE RECORD NEWS.

10 Situations Wanted—Male

EXPERIENCED salesman desires permanent positoin with a reliable firm; have had eight yeas' grocery, two years, hardware and one year furniture experience. Can furnish best of references. Rex Brinson. Write B. L. Rettig, or call at 721 Ohio for particulars.

YOUNG man with 13 years' experience in job and export cotton business and some capital will consider either partnership or position of responsibility with large cotton firm. Correspondence treated confidentially. P. O. Box 696, Houston, Texas.

11 Salesmen & Agents—Wanted

FIRST CLASS agency open for Wichita county, $160 will handle. Mr. Lyiscomb, St. James.

12 DRESSMAKING

FANCY dressmaking, remodeling and tailoring. 911 Eleventh. Phone 2136.

DRESSMAKING—All work guaranteed. Telephone 5929.

GUARANTEED sewing. Phone 2069.

13 PERSONAL

HOURS 1 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m. Madam El Rado, phrenologist. Reads your character, disposition and talent. 812½ Ohio Ave., Wichita Falls, Tex.

MONEY to loan. Booth 11, Basement American National Bank Bldg.

CANCERS, Tumors, sores, Goitre, piles, fistula. Write for testimonials of cures. Box 517. Dallas, Texas.

14 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

LIBERTY bonds and diamonds turned into cash and income, loan profit-sharing co-operative plan. Abner Davis System Bank, Fort Worth, Tex.

SALE or trade—I have a few very fine diamonds; will trade for good car in good condition; roadster preferred; or will sell to you for cash at a price that is right. State make of your car and your price for same. Box K-45, care Record News.

FOR SALE—Tailoring business or lease and phone for other business. Cheap if taken before Feb. 1. P. O. Box 685.

FOR SALE — A SMALL RESTAURANT DOING A GOOD BUSINESS, BUT HAVE OTHER BUSINESS OUT OF CITY. CANNOT TAKE CARE OF BOTH. A BARGAIN FOR CASH. 807½ TENTH ST.

15 WANTED—Houses & Apts.

FOR RENT
We have the largest list of rental property in town. Stores, furnished homes, vacant houses and warehouses. We take you in our car and it costs you no more.
CURLEE & JOHNSON
Ground Floor Bob Waggoner Bldg.

17 ROOM AND BOARD

ARCHER INN, 1104 Scott street, is open again under new management. Nice rooms and a good place to eat.

BOARD and room private home. 1807 Lamar St.

FOR RENT—Bedroom three blocks business district, to two men or ladies; board if desired. 806 Thirteenth St.

ROOM and board for one or two men. 1106 Burnett. Phone 6440.

VIRGINYA ROOMS—Rooms for working men; home-cooked meals; individual beds, with or without meals. 1300 Ohio Ave. Phone 2394.

19 ROOMS & BOARD WANTED.

WANTED—Two or three room modern unfurnished apartment or garage, close in. Phone 4381.

WANTED—Two or three furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 4381 and leave address or telephone number.

20 Rooms For Rent—Furnished

FOR RENT—Have nicely furnished bedroom, reasonable; and will furnish meals if desired; also garage; young men preferred. 308 Burnett St. Phone 2449.

FOR RENT—Nice, warm, upstairs bedroom $30 a month; hot and cold water; good location. 1007 Burnett. Phone 2805.

FURNISHED room — Large front room, adjoining bath; modern; for one or two persons; walking distance; also street car. 1208 Broad. Phone 6140.

FOR RENT—Front bedroom upstairs; can be arranged for light housekeeping. 1404 Lamar. Phone 6084.

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished bedroom convenient to bath; modern, hot water at all times; prefer ladies; One down stairs bedroom and kitchen privileges if desired; one block from car line, to couple. Phone 3285.

FOR RENT—Furnished, desirable upstairs bedroom; hot and cold water; use of phone. Gentlemen only. 805 Bluff St. Phone 5394.

FOR RENT—Beautifully furnished modern 5-room bungalow, servant house and double garage; rent furnished or unfurnished. 1501 Hays St. Phone 3320.

NICELY furnished front bedroom for rent, convenient to bath, medium close in, on pavement, and close to car line; will furnish garage; gentlemen preferred and will furnish breakfast if desired. Phone 6134.

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms, bath and garage; nice for several men; reasonable rent. 1109 Burnett St.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front bedroom with all modern conveniences; $6 per week or $20 by the month. Phone 5513. 2311 Eighth St.

A FRONT bedroom and garage. 1406 Scott. Phone 2086.

NICELY furnished bed rooms, $5 per week. Phone 3818.

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms, nicely furnished, close in; all modern conveniences. Phone 6706-W.

21 Rooms For Rent—Unfurnished

ROOM for rent—Nicely furnished room for 2 gentlemen, adjoining bath; steam heat; use of garage; private home. 1816 Tenth St.

22 Light Housekeeping Rooms

FURNISHED housekeeping room in modern home at very reasonable rent; also use of phone. 308 Burnett St. Phone 2449.

TWO beautifully furnished light housekeeping rooms to couple without children or pets; access to garage; one-half block from car line. Phone 6832.

HOUSEKEEPING room, nice, clean, modern. 408 Scott St.

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms, cheap. 908 Fourth St.

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms and kitchenette, modern. 205 Scott St. Phone 3770.

23 Houses & Apts.—For Rent

FOR RENT—Well located 9-room, completely furnished house, very reasonable to responsible party. Phone S. E. Trevathan 3887.

23 Houses & Apts.—For Rent

ROOM to rent in modern apartment; one or two girls preferred, close in. Phone 6243.

FOR RENT—Six-room house, 2114 Kemp Blvd. for $40 per month. Daddy Moore, owner. Phone 5746.

FOR RENT—Garage. 1509 Eleventh.

FOR RENT—Five-room house, 2405 Eighth street; also 4-room house, 2402 Eighth street, $40 per month. Moore & Blacklock. Phone 5635.

FOR RENT—Good 6-room house, well located, reasonable. Phone 3887. S. E. Trevathan.

FOR RENT—Four-room apartment, very reasonable and furniture for sale at a sacrifice. 1402 Kemp Blvd.

FOR RENT—Good, strictly modern house 709 Travis. Phone 5618. W. E. Frieze.

25 Business Locations—For Rent

FOR LEASE—One or four years, second floor of Jones-Kennedy Bldg., Seventh and Indiana. Phone 5038.

FOR RENT—Store room 906 Indiana Ave., next to Olympic theater, where Electric company is now, will be for rent Feb. 1. M. O'Reilly, 714½ Ninth St.

FOR RENT—Space 10x30 with show window in store room on Indiana avenue; very good location; rent reasonable. Address Box C-33, care Record News.

29 Wanted To Buy—Miscellaneous

WANT to buy—Roadster in good condition; have some fine diamonds to trade for a good car in good condition; give make of car and your lowest cash consideration for your car. Box C-55, care Record News.

WANT TO BUY modern home from owner; must be a bargain; not an agent and will deal direct. Box C-40, Record News.

WANT to buy men's, women's and children's second hand clothing that are still serviceable. Phone 2533. W. K. Layfield.

WANTED TO RENT
We want to rent your property for you. We bring the customer to you in person and our charges are small.
CURLEE & JOHNSON
Phone 6821

SEE Central Abstract Co., Basement City National Bank Building, for office room. Phone 2866.

30 MISCELLANEOUS—For Sale

FOR SALE—One good Jersey cow; gives fine milk; also a nice heifer calf, 7 mo. old. 1204 Clark St. J. C. Short.

FOR SALE—Small tent shack for batching and sleeping; cookstove and mattress, $35. 203 Scott Ave.

IF YOU need fuel oil in car or train loads, see me; can supply you.
JOHN F. ROBINSON
Phone 3263.

WILL TRADE wagon and team and double harness for car; prefer roadster; also have nice desk and typewriter. 906 Indiana Ave. Phone 2468.

SALE ON BATH TUBS
We have a number of slightly damaged tubs and lavatories. This enamel ware was damaged in transit and we are able to sell it at less than manufacturers cost. First come, first served. If you figure on needing a tub in the future it will pay you to look these over.
ELLIOTT SUPPLY CO.,
1511 Lamar St.

A. O. HANSON, 1106½ OHIO
will make your razor and shears cut. Safety blades reground, best grinding in the southwest.

HAVE 100 acres of Collins survey No. 2, about 4 miles northeast Iowa Park; must be drilled soon; will make liberal drilling contract. John F. Robison. Phone 3263.

31 Furniture & Household Goods

PATTON Furniture company will take good salable second-hand furniture or stoves in trade for new goods. Phone 6660.

32 MISCELLANEOUS

A NEW harness store; harness, collars, saddles, gloves at wholesale prices. Factory Outlet Co., 615½ Indiana Ave., Wichita Falls.

FOR SALE—Two (2) good tool houses

MACHINERY AND TOOLS

HAVE a car of 4½ EB tubing; will sell at cost. Phone Landon at 6533, or call 424 Commerce Bldg.

HAVE a car of 4½ EB tubing; will sell at cost. Phone Landon at 6533, or call 424 Commerce Bldg.

TANK BUILDERS
We dismantle as well as erect; get in touch with us. We can sell your tanks dismantled; tools now on ground at Burkburnett. Phone, write or wire THE GARRISON-LEE SUPPLY & CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC.
PHONE 4617 606 MARKET ST.
SHREVEPORT, LA.

FOR RENT—ONE SET HYDRAULIC JACKS—Either 30 or 100 ton adjustable; with spider and slips for all size pipe.

FOR SALE—Three sets of rig irons, all new, $1,500 cash; also several strings of 2½-inch cleaning out and swabbing tools. PHONE 55. BURKBURNETT, TEXAS. Henry M. Ray & Son, 112 W. Main St.

FOR SALE—4-INCH PIPE 48c; 3-inch 38c; 2-inch 1,800 feet, 17c; 2½ tubing, 40c; 5 3-16, 85c; 4½-lbs. 2-inch tubing, new, in any amount. Call us before buying.
BURKBURNETT SUPPLY CO.
Phone 176. Corner Fifth and Ave. B.

34 OIL—GAS—MINERAL

LET US make a new success of a new company. Texfield Oil Co., 721 Ohio Ave. One Thousands Shares $70.

WANTED—Oil production in Burk townsite and Northwest Extension. If you are interested in cash, call phone 2410 or address us. Apple & Brandeberry, 421 American National Bank Bldg.

OIL COMPANY NEEDING HELP SHOULD CONSULT ME. I AM IN POSITION TO HELP YOU. A. G. McMATH, 915 COLLEGE AVE., FORT WORTH, TEXAS.

BURKBURNETT SUPPLY CO. PHONE 176. ON AVE. B AND FIFTH ST., PAYS HIGHEST PRICES FOR CASING, LINE PIPE, JUNK PIPE, CORKED TUBING. SEE US BEFORE SELLING.

FOR SALE—An undivided one-half interest in 30 acres; one producing well; K. M. A. field. A real snap at $3,000.

I have attractive buyers in acreage and production at Petrolia, where the interest of the oil man is now centered. Room 16, Hines Bldg. C. A. Parker. Phone 2596.

HYDRAULIC JACK FOR RENT; ALL SIZES SLIPS; BEST EQUIPMENT IN THE FIELD.
ROY CALVERT.
222 OHIO STREET. PHONE 2985.
423 AVE. B. BURKBURNETT, TEX.

35 OIL LAND LEASES

HAVE 175 acres in Iowa Park field, several shallow wells, can be bought right; has been diagnosed by several leading geologists and is well worth investigating. JNO. F. ROBINSON. PHONE 3263. Basement Waggoner Bldg.

GOOD OIL leases; near production in Stephens county, Oklahoma; for sale; some cash, balance to be paid after you get oil; looks like a sure shoot for oil. CallMaple 174, or write L. E. Foster, Box 574, Oklahoma City, Okla.

35 OIL LAND LEASES

WANTED — Proven shallow acreage, with run down well preferred; on drilling contract. We mean business. State your proposition. K. R. Tabor, Argonne Hotel from 12 p. m. to 3 p. m., Wichita Falls, Tex.

I WILL buy your shallow lease, or drill it up for you immediately, if it is proven up all sides. Electra or Texhoma preferred. Jordan. Phone 3793.

40—REAL ESTATE—FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Four-room modern house at 1600 Magnolia street. Phone 2788 or apply on premises.

FOR SALE—House and six lots in Sibley-Taylor; priced right; terms. Phone 2788.

40—REAL ESTATE—FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Residence and rooming houses, farms, vacant lots, in and out of Wichita Falls; some to trade for Wichita property and Wichita property to trade for outside property. Some Oklahoma farms to sell or trade for Wichita Falls property. Some good Wichita Falls property to exchange for 5 or 6 room house, well located in Dallas or Fort Worth. If you have anything to buy, sell or exchange, or you want to buy, you should see C. B. Wolf, 1914 Kemp Blvd., or phone 3027.

NOTICE—I have a dandy 7-room residence situated in Bartlett, Bell county, Texas, to put in on a place here as first payment. Call and see me at 702½ Indiana or phone 5605. Call for B. Kollman.

WILL TAKE lot in Floral Heights or small car for equity in $8,500 home in Floral Heights. Phone 2069.

AM LEAVING the city. I will sell at a bargain the complete furnishings of our three-room apartment. Practically new, gray painted breakfast room; Reed living room set; ivory dressing table and chiffonier and draperies, rugs and dishes included. Phone 3623. 1707 Eighth St.

44 LEGAL NOTICES

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.
The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Herman Martin by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th District court of Wichita county, to be holden at the courthouse thereof in Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in March A. D., 1921, the same being the seventh day of March A. D., 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the eighth day of October A. D., 1920, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 9206-B, wherein Annie Martin is plaintiff and Herman Martin is defendant, and said petition alleging: That plaintiff and defendant were married on the —— day of ——, 1920, and lived together until on or about the —— day of —— 1920; that soon after said marriage defendant began a course of cruel treatment, in that he would leave home and would be gone for weeks at a time and she would not know his whereabouts; that she has been told and has reason to believe that he held company with lewd women and was guilty of acts of adultery. Wherefore premises considered, plaintiff prays for divorce, cost of suit, etc. Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the seventh day of January A. D., 1921.
A. F. KERR, Clerk District Court, Wichita County, Texas.
By BONNIE ZETZSCHE, Deputy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.
The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon The Oklahoma and Texas Petroleum company, a foreign corporation and a non-resident of the State of Texas, by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th district court of Wichita county, to be holden at the courthouse thereof in Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in March, A. D., 1921, the same being the seventh day of March, A. D., 1921, then and there to answer an amendded petition filed in said court on the sixth day of January, A. D., 1921, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 8978-B, wherein, the Carey Brothers Oil company, a partnership composed of E. S. Carey, C. W. Carey, R. R. Carey, Guy Rogers, J. E. Childers, E. H. Breedlove, T. T. T. Reese, Henry Patterson, J. J. Moran and J. B. Stokes, all of whom reside in Wichita county, Texas, are plaintiffs, and The Oklahoma and Texas Petroleum company, a foreign corporation, and W. M. Moore, who resides in Wichita county, Texas, and J. P. McKinney, who resides in Harris County, Texas, are defendants, and said petition alleging: That on or about the 12th day of May, 1920, the plaintiffs sold and delivered to the defendant, the Oklahoma and Texas Petroleum company, 1,800 feet of steel casing at $1.50 per foot, terms being cash, or 8 per cent interest per annum on all the purchase price not so paid; that on or about June 12, 1920, said defendant paid $1,000 of said price, but that no more of the same has been paid and that the balance, including interest is now due in the sum of $1,643; that said casing was furnished with the understanding that it was to be used, and it was so used for the improvement of a certain oil and gas lease belonging to the defendant in Wichita county, Texas, and described as follows: Beginning 990 feet E. and 660 feet N of the SW. corner of Block 88, Red River Valley Lands Subdivision in Wichita county; thence E. 165 feet; thence N. 660 feet; thence W. 165 feet; thence S. 660 feet to point of beginning; that on the 10th day of September, 1920, plaintiffs fixed and secured a mechanics and material man's lien on said lease by filing in the office of the county clerk of Wichita County, Texas, a material man's lien statement, as in such cases is provided for by law; that on or about the seventh day of September, 1920, the defendants, W. M. Moore and J. P. McKinney, purchased said lease, subject to plaintiffs' aforesaid claim against it; that plaintiffs' said lien is now a valid and subsisting claim against said lease and, except as aforesaid, has not been paid off by either of the within defendants. Plaintiffs pray for citation, for judgment foreclosing its said lien, for judgment against the defendants jointly and severally in the sum of $1,643 for costs and for general relief. Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the tenth day of January, A. D., 1921.
A. F. Kerr, Clerk District Court, Wichita County, Texas.
By Eunice Jackson, Deputy.

CITATION OF PUBLICATION
The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Arthur H. Potter by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th District court of Wichita county, to be holden at the courthouse thereof in Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in March A. D., 1921, the same being the seventh day of March A. D., 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 20th day of December A. D., 1920, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 9843-B, wherein, Ella M. Potter is plaintiff and Arthur Potter is defendant, and said petition alleging: That plaintiff and defendant were married on Aug. 16, 1914, and lived together until Feb. 18, 1916, at which time the defendant abandoned the plaintiff with intention of abandonment. Wherefore premises considered plaintiff prays for divorce, maiden name, Ella M. Bulger, cost of suit, etc. Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same. Given

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my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Wichita Falls, Tex., this the seventh day of January A. D., 1921.
A. F. KERR, Clerk District Court, Wichita County, Texas.
By BONNIE ZETZSCHE, Deputy.

Notes WE SELL THEM
We have buyers for good first lien notes on city property. What have you?
S. E. TREVATHAN
302 City National. Phone 3887

STATE TWINES CIRCUMSTANCE NET ON BLAND

Continuance until Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, when arguments will be heard in the trial of George Dewey Bland, accused jointly with Heinie Jackson of the murder on January 9 at Newtown of A. E. Berlin, oil field worker, was ordered by Judge H. F. Weldon in Thirtieth district court late Monday after all testimon had been heard and the state had closed its case.

Taking of testimony was concluded when the last of ten witnesses for the state was examined. The defense did not put on any witnesses and based its evidence on cross-examination of state's witnesses.

Efforts of the prosecuting attorney were directed toward proving that Bland was an actual participant in commission of the crime and endeavored to connect the chain of circumstantial evidence by testimony of witnesses who were with him before and after the tragedy occurred.

Woman Saw No Gun.

The defendant's case was strengthened to a certain extent by testimony of Myrtle Wray, owner of the Star rooming house, who was the first, so far as is known, who saw Bland after the slaying of Berlin, to the effect that Bland had no gun when he came to her house; and similar statements from Mrs. L. C. Mills, owner of the house where Bland rented a room after the tragedy. Both women, however, testified, in substance, that Bland, in answer to questions put to him by them, admitted being at the scene of the crime by telling them that "he wanted to go to bed and get some sleep and didn't want to stay at the Thrift rooming house (his usual residence) because he didn't want to get mixed up in the trouble down there."

Attempts to show that Jackson who was the instigator, if not the sole perpetrator of the crime, were made by counsel for the defense in cross examination of witnesses relative to the actions and talk of both men while participating in the 'jake' party at the domino hall; their subsequent departure to other scenes of entertainment; their departure to go to bed; and when next seen, after the shooting, their arrival at the Star rooming house, and events transpiring up to the time of their arrest.

Fought at Domino Hall.

Following up the activities of the two men during the night and morning witnesses first told of the dispute between Jackson and Bland while the party was in progress at the domino parlor, which was later said to have been patched up between the two.

W. J. Murphy, who was in charge of the parlor, the second witness to testify, told how he took two guns away from Jackson at the domino parlor. He said that soon after he went to the Red Front cafe and that there Bland came and procured the two guns one of which was later taken away from him.

The next step in the course of events was told by Joe Brown, proprietor of a soft drink stand, who was the fourth witness called to the stand. He said that he was at the domino parlor and heard the argument between Jackson and Bland and that the next he saw of them was when Jackson came to his place and made him go across the street to the restaurant with him.

Bland, he said, then came in in an intoxicated condition and flourishing a gun. He was "quieted down," so the testimony goes, and then Jackson began to threaten him with his life if he told anybody of what he (Jackson) had done or said during the night. Brown said Jackson then went over to Bland, took his gun away from him and told him to come on with him. They both left, Brown stated, and he went over to close up his store. A few minutes later, he said, he heard shots fired from the direction of the Thrift rooming house and that 30 or 40 minutes later he went down and saw the dead body of Berlin.

The testimony of W. B. Musser, who left the restaurant about ten minutes before Bland and Jackson, and who said that they held him up and stripped him of his clothing, was excluded from the record on motion of counsel for the defendant.

G. R. Smith, a roomer at the Thrift rooming house, testified that he was awakened by Berlin coming down the steps in the house and that a few minutes later he heard shots fired and saw two men, whom he described as "one man was larger than the other," walking rapidly away.

Heard Man Screaming.

Mac Thomas, who lived in a house adjoining the Thrift, was awakened by the firing of two shots and the screams of a man. He got to the window just in time, he said, to see two men passing by at a rapid walk. One was taller than the other, he asserted.

Myrtle Wray testified that she heard three shots fired and that, a few minutes later, Bland came to her house and asked for a room. She did not have one, she said, and about this time Jackson came in. They then went away together, and Jackson came back four or five times in the course of the morning, she said.

Bland then went to the house of Mrs. L. C. Mills, according to her testimony, and told her that a man had been shot down there and that he didn't want to get mixed up in it. She gave him a room, she said, and he went in and went to sleep. Several hours later, she asserted, a man came in and woke Bland, telling him that the "law" was looking for him. Bland then got up and went out, she said.

Deputy on Stand.

Deputy Constable John Turnham, who arrested Bland and Jackson, on the day of the crime, testified that the wounds in Berlin's body were made by 32.20 calibre bullets. He said that he arrested both men between 12 and 1 o'clock p. m. Sunday and that he found several 32.20 cartridges in Jackson's pocket. On cross-examination he said that Bland had no cartridges or a pistol on him when arrested.

By agreement with counsel for defense, the state introduced in evidence the bullets removed from the body of Berlin without proving up the issue.

A confession which was made by Bland to officials here following his arrest, and which implicates Jackson as the man who fired the shots which killed Berlin, was also introduced in evidence.

District Attorney Fletcher S. Jones is prosecuting the case and the law firm of Mathis & Caldwell are attorneys for the defense.

Hundredth Man Returns to Ask Citizenship Again and Succeeds

Restoration to citizenship was granted D. C. Kile of Warburton, Okla., with the dismissal Monday by Judge H. F. Weldon in Thirtieth district court of a felony charge of which he was found guilty in district court here two years ago and assessed with the penalty of a two-year suspended sentence.

Application that the case be stricken from the court records was made by Kile in a letter to Judge P. A. Martin, who presided in trial of his case. In it he set forth that since being convicted of the felony and released under suspended sentence, he had seen more than a year of honorable service in the army, 13 months of which was spent in active duty in France.

He said that he was wounded while in foreign service and that since that time he has spent several months in hospitals in this country. After recovering, he asserted, he was placed in the school of mines of the federal board for vocational training at Warburton and has been "making good" since.

A communication attached to his letter, from the special agent in charge of the school, said that Kile's conduct has been excellent and that his work has shown wonderful progress. In closing, the agent in charge of the school, in recommending that the case against him be dismissed, said:

"He is well fitted to carry on a gainful occupation and will be a benefit to any city of organization with which he becomes connected."

Commenting upon the case, Judge Weldon said that he is desirous of aiding deserving men, such as Kile's recommendations had classified him, and that he would do all he could to bring about a settlement in similar cases which seem to warrant it.

District Clerk A. F. Kerr said that Kile's case was an exception to the general rule as only an average of one man out of every 100 under suspended sentence ask for a dismissal of their case when their term has expired.

"This is only carelessness and negligence on their part," he said, "and shows only a laxity and disregard of their standing in their respective communities, for if their service under the suspended sentence has been honorable, they are allowed the privilege, which is not accorded other offenders, of having their names stricken from the records of the court by making application and showing to the court that they have refrained from committing other offenses.

"They do not seem to realize that they are deprived of citizenship and the rights and privileges of an American citizen so long as a conviction on a felony charge is recorded against them."

In connection with his comment on existing conditions under the suspended sentence law, District Clerk Kerr stated that he is now at work on compiling data from Wichita county district courts in response to a letter received from Governor Pat M. Neff Monday requesting information as to the number of defendants in criminal cases here who have been released under the suspended sentence law during the past two years.

It is also asked that figures be furnished relative to the number of persons rearrested and sent to the penitentiary to serve the sentence imposed upon them in judgment of conviction after having been released under the suspended sentence law.

Belief that he is preparing to take some step in answer to the question, "Will Governor Neff recommend to the legislature that the suspended sentence law be abolished or amended?" was expressed by attaches of the court after learning that the letter had been received.

JONES URGES PRICE PROBE OF MACHINERY

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Investigation of complaints that the International Harvester company had announced its intention of increasing prices of some of its farm machinery products was called for in a resolution introduced today by Representative Jones, democrat, Texas. The resolution would direct the house interstate commerce commission to conduct an inquiry, and, if prices have been increased, to find out why.

OFFICIALS SILENT.

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—Officials of the International Harvester company here, when told of the resolution introduced in the house by Representative Jones of Texas, calling for an investigation of complaints of increased prices, said:

"While we have no detailed information about the resolution, we will welcome any inquiry along the lines, being satisfied that the only result will be to convince the public of the fairness of our prices.

"Our prices are now, and always have been, based solely on the cost of production. Our current prices are practically the same as for the last ten months. There has been some slight increases on some machines and reductions on others, with the result that, considering our line as a whole, the price level for 1921 is substantially the same as for 1920."

SCOTT TEST OF PANHANDLE TO RUN 500 BBLS.

The No. 1 Scott test of the Panhandle Refining company, one-half mile south of the town of South Bend in Young county, drilled and partly into the sand, is estimated as a 500-barrel well, according to reports reaching here Monday. The test struck the sand at 3,060 feet last Friday and on initial showing it was at first thought that the well would show a much larger production.

The strike indicates an extension of the Breckenridge and Eliasville fields, according to local operators. The depth at which the pay sand is obtained and the grade of oil from the Panhandle well substantiates this view. It is claimed by geologists that the structure formations indicate the extension of the field to the South Bend district.

Although several wells are now producing from the 2,100 and 2,500 foot sands to the southeast of the Panhandlestrike, in what has been commonly called the South Bend field, local operators consider that the new well has opened up a new section for development, the grade of oil and depth at which it was obtained showing that it has no connection with the shallower sands of the other field. In the same area, the North American Refining company is having trouble in resetting casing at its test one mile southwest of the Panhandle well on the Scott lease. This test obtained the 3,100-footsand three weeks ago and made a few flows at that depth.

Trouble with casing and resulting water has prevented the completion of the test. Three other tests in the same area are drilling around 2,700 to 3,000 feet.

In the 2,100 and 2,500 producing areas no additional developments are reported over the week end. Pipe line connections are delaying the completion of at least three tests that have obtained the 2,100-foot sand. The Prairie Pipe Line company has practically completed a 4-inch line to the field from their Eliasville station. The line is the second that the company has completed to the field. Reports to the effect that other large companies are preparing to run lines to the field could not be verified at the local offices of the companies concerned.

New Jersey and Delaware were both known originally (like New York) as New Netherlands.

FARMER FIRED ON FROM AMBUSH

By Associated Press.

LITTLE ROCK, Jan. 24.—State Senator W. A. Jackson of Pocahontas was fired upon from a thicket Saturdya night while driving from Hoxie to his home, but was not injured, it became known today. Several bullets struck his car. The assailant was not apprehended.

LEWIS CRIES IN AGONY OF HOLD BUT WINS OUT

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Ed "Strangler" Lewis of San Jose, Calif., successfully defended his world's heavyweight catch-as-catch-can wrestling title here tonight by throwing Earl Caddock, former champion in 1 hour and 34 minutes. Lewis won with a combined head and hip lock.

The winning fall came as a dramatic climax to one of the most terrific mat struggles ever seen in the east. Caddock appeared to be the winner up to within one minute of the finish.

Champion Cries Aloud.

After an hour and a half of wrestling Caddock gained a terrible punishing toe hold and for one minute and ten seconds he stuggled to force Lewis' shoulders to the mat. The champion in his agony beat the floor with his fists and cried aloud, but his voice was drowned in the terrific uproar for Caddock. The former soldier was a tremendous favorite with the 10,000 spectators.

Twice Referee George Bothner asked Lewis if he would quit, but twice he refused, although his face was distored entirely out of human resemblance by pain.

With a last desperate effort he kicked himself free and staggered to his feet, leaped upon Caddock and clamped his famous deadly headlock around the Iowan's face three times. Caddock broke the punishing hold and staggered to his feet, only to have Lewis regain the grip.

Hurls Caddock to Floor.

On the second and third lock Lewis picked up Caddock bodily and threw him to the floor, plunging his weight on top of the fast weakening challenger. The second crash, combined with the gruelling punishment which Caddock had received, left him helpless and he collapsed on his back as the referee slapped Lewis, the winner.

When Lewis rolled off of Caddock the latter lay like a dead man on the floor and when his manager and others scrambled through the ropes to his assistance, it was all they could do to lift him to his feet. A chair was placed beneath him in the center of the ring, but he rolled to the floor again and a call was made for a doctor.

GOOD CITIZENSHIP CLASS OF CIVIC LEAGUE TO MEET

The newly created good citizenship study department of the Civic league, with Mrs. O. D. Long as chairman, will have its first meeting this afternoon at 2:30 at the Kemp library. Mrs. Long announced the committee's personnel Monday, as follows: Mesdames W. W. Cooke, S. L. Conn, Richard Bailey, F. H. Whaley, C. J. Coffey, Luther Hoffman, A. B. Lipscomb, Fred Loomis, John C. Kay, John W. Naylor, M. A. Beckman, Guy Davis, H. H. Markey, Charles W. Wallace, C. D. Paulib and R. A. Lyle.

All members of this department are asked by Mrs. Long to be present at this afternoon's meeting.

BODY FOUND IN RIVER.

By Associated Press.

GALLIPOLIS, Ohio, Jan. 24.—The body of Captain Ira Routh Young, river man, was found in the Ohio river at Point Pleasant today. The top of his skull was crushed and police express the opinion that he had been murdered.

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DENVER URGES MORE DAIRIES AND HOG PENS

More dairies, more hogs and improved marketing facilities for farm products are the watchwords of a series of meetings of agricultural and business interests of communities between here and Fort Worth on the Denver railroad—meetings which begin today at the Fort Worth end of the line, announcement was made at the office here of M. B. Cates, agricultural agent of the railway, Monday.

Mr. Oates will be accompanied by C. C. French of the Forth Worth Stock Yards company and E. A. Miller of the Texas A. & M. college. Meetings will be held Thursday at Decatur; Friday at Bowie; Saturday at Henrietta. Co-operation of bankers, business men and representatives of commercial bodies in the cities where the meetings are held will be sought.

Mr. Oates, who was recently appointed agricultural agent of the Forth Worth & Denver railroad, has just completed an inspection of agricultural conditions along the Fort Worth & Denver railroad from Fort Worth to Texline. The consensus of opinion of both farmers and the business interests along the line is that the farming industry must be more diversified, with special emphasis to be placed on the advisability of small dairies and the raising of a larger number of hogs.

Meetings between this city and Fort Worth have been called by commercial bodies and representative bankers, business men and farmers have given assurance that all definite plans for the betterment of the agricultural interests will receive their co-operation and support. It is expected that following the meetings to the south of this city, other meetings will be held in all towns and cities between here and Texline.

Dallas "Maria" To Be Equipped With Wireless

DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 24.—A wireless telephone system to be used for communicating with police patrol wagons throughout Dallas is being installed and will be ready for use in a few days, it was announced at the city hall today. Receiving sets are to be put in the police motor cars as soon as possible. The telephones will be used to spread the news of reported burglaries and highway robberies to all parts of the city simultaneously.

A wireless station, which will enable the police to flash the news of law violations to stations throughout Texas and a part of Oklahoma, also is ready for use, it was announced.

Bar Association To Meet Tonight

Presentation for approval and adoption of the constitution and by-laws of the recently reorganized Wichita County Bar association will be made Tuesday night at the monthly meeting and banquet of the association to be held at the Wichita club, it was announced Monday by members.

It has been requested that all members attend.

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Oklahomans Nab Juveniles Who Broke Jail Here

County Juvenile Officer R. W. Morgan left Monday night for Oklahoma City with warrants, charging theft over $50, for the custody and return to Wichita Falls of Henry Brazil and Homer Morley, two young boys, who were arrested there on vagrancy charges following their escape from cells in the juvenile jail here Wednesday night.

Word of the capture of the two boys was received Monday morning in a telegram from Oklahoma City authorities, and Juvenile Officer Morgan immediately swore out warrants before Justice R. V. Gwinn to secure their return.

Morley is charged with theft of money from a local oil concern, and Brazil is alleged to have taken several automobile tires. Both were awaiting trial before a jury in juvenile court.

TESTS FOR CIVIL SERVICE CLERICAL AGENTS, FEB. 19

Competitive examinations for appointment as civil service bookkeepers, to be held at Wichita Falls February 19, were announced Monday by C. K. Johnson, secretary of the Wichita county civil service board. The positions to be filled include one with the internal revenue collector at Dallas with an entrance salary of $1,400 per annum, and one in the United States public health hospital at Houston with an entrance salary of $960 to $1,020 and quarters, subsistence and laundry.

Positions requiring similar qualifications which may occur at or in the vicinity in which the examination was taken are likely.

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An examination for appointment of stenographers and typists is announced for February 15, for which there are several vacancies, according to civil service officials.

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The statement was read from a communication which was issued by one of the old line insurance companies, Mr. Belcher said. It particularly attacked the methods of advertising used by a mutual insurance company advertising in Dallas newspapers.

The world-wide and universal service of the Western Union company, which reaches to the uttermost parts of the earth, as well as to the industrial centers, was outlined before the club by Charles Pogenpohl, manager of the local Western Union office.

A report of conditions in El Dorado, Ark., by C. A. Kleinman concluded the program.

CHICK INGRAM AND STROUD PAY $10 FINES

Pleas of guilty were entered before Judge Guy Rogers Monday in court court at law by Chick Ingram, charged with intoxication, and C. C. Stroud, charged with affray. Fines of $10 and costs and $1 and costs, respectively, were assessed.

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